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THE RUSH TO MARKET CUTS TOBACCO PRICES

Markets Thronged And All Grades Suffer In Slump.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 17.—Sales of 1,110,000 pounds of Pryor tobacco for \$175,000 were reported by the managers of the Owensboro loose leaf houses to-day.

The general average of \$15.20 per hundred pounds is from \$1 to \$3 under the prices paid for the week last week.

The market continues flooded, there being so much tobacco in Owensboro that local buyers are finding trouble taking care of it.

The bidding was spiritless to-day, only three or four of the big buyers being much in evidence.

Hopkinsville.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Dec. 17.—The loose tobacco floors are so crowded, both with weed, growers and buyers, that nothing like complete sales can be had. To-day only five of the eight houses were visited.

To-morrow, in order to relieve the situation, sales will start at 8 o'clock and continue until dark.

About \$400,000 pounds were sold to-day. All were of lower types. Prices ranged from \$9 to \$26.

Glasgow.

Glasgow, Ky., Dec. 17.—The Glasgow market opened again today after a postponement of a week owing to unsatisfactory prices offered. No burley was sold. The dark brought an average of about \$13.50.

A committee of ten farmers is watching the sales with a view of making some recommendations to farmers to procure better prices.

Madisonville.

Madisonville, Ky., Dec. 17.—The top price for tobacco on the Burchfield floor to-day was \$27.50, while \$26.50 was the highest price reached at Wake's floor, the offerings being not quite so good Monday.

More than 200,000 pounds were offered, and the floors had to close their doors this morning, many wagons being unable to unload until to-night.

The average to-day was about \$18.

Bowling Green.

Bowling Green, Ky., Dec. 17.—The three loose leaf warehouses to-day sold 400,000 pounds of tobacco at the following prices: Leaf, \$12 to \$24; lugs, \$10 to \$23; trash, \$9 to \$18.

Tobacco is coming in fast, and there will be sales daily.

There will not be any burley sales until after January 10.

HENRY PIRTLE INJURED.

Mr. Henry Pirtle came very near losing his life Monday afternoon, when a tractor he was driving turned over and all but crushed his life out. Mr. Pirtle attached his tractor to a threshing machine preparatory to moving the machine for the purpose of threshing peas, on Prof. Henry Leach's farm. In hitching the chain, attaching the tractor to the machine, he hooked the chain over instead of under the axle of the tractor, and applying his power the tractor reared and fell backward, catching Mr. Pirtle under it, badly crushing the upper parts of his body and head. One arm was broken, his shoulder bone was fractured and he received a severe and painful cut on his head. Henry Leach and Virgil Elgin were present and lifted the heavy machine off the injured man. Physicians adjusted the broken bones, and Mr. Pirtle will soon recover from his injuries.

MAJ. LALLENGER WRITES LETTER FROM FRANCE

Somewhere in France, Nov. 24.
Editors Republican,
Hartford, Ky.

Gentlemen:—There is no greater experience than a letter from home—none greater than news of the loved ones left behind. That happy experience was my lot this morning, in the far away land where our boys have so bravely fought, defended and attained the one and only object—that of putting the dastardly Hun where he can in no way ever again be a hindrance to civilization and liberty.

I am penning you these few lines thanking you for the kind remarks

made in your paper, a clipping of which was inclosed in a letter from my wife this morning. In this connection I will state that the "Black Devils" have produced and delivered everything that was expected of them.

There have been some very trying times, especially while crossing when we had a submarine attack, about ten o'clock one morning, while passing through the Irish sea, just a day before landing, and of all feelings, that one is not the best; especially when it is not known just how badly the ship is damaged. But they stood the test. I knew from that minute that any "Boche" who faced them would be a "good one" (only dead ones) and if I am not very much mistaken there are several "good ones" registered in some book, not in this world, due to the efforts of the "Black Devils." It might be of interest to you to know that my battalion was named "The Battalion From Hell." It was, and we gave them a hell of a time. We did our best, and I am happy to say we shall all return, with the exception of a few who have made the supreme sacrifice, that liberty might live.

"It is finished; well done thou good and faithful servant" are the words I can imagine I hear from the Goddess of Liberty as we approach the native shores again. It was a grand finish. We are happy; we feel proud of the wonderful achievement of the folks back home. We knew that we could do it; the folks back home were our backers. Now since we suffered and bled, no mercy—not one dot to be taken from the terms of the armistice. It is the Hun's own bitter dose. Make him take it.

Now on behalf of the "Black Devils" I thank you very kindly for your little mention. They appreciate it. Wishing you and all of my friends a merry Christmas and happy New Year.

I am very truly yours, Sincerely,
JOHN L. LALLENGER,
Major 814, Bat.

DOES OFFICIAL DUTY.

Esquire W. S. Dean, of Dundee, is the first Ohio county official to impose a fine on an automobile driver for speeding. A young man, a Mr. Murphy we understand, drove his machine through Dundee at a racing speed, and the Squire had him arrested and brought before the court for trial, and imposed a fine for \$25 and the borderings. This offense has been committed with great frequency in every section of the county, but other officials have been derelict of duty in not bringing the offenders to justice. Human life is too sacred to allow reckless drivers of automobiles to endanger it with impunity, and now that Squire Dean has shown the way we hope our other officials will join in the crusade and break up the dangerous practice. The public will commend Squire Dean for breaking the official ice.

EVERETT TAYLOR DEAD.

Mr. Everett P. Taylor died suddenly, Sunday morning, at West Frankfort, Ill. After eating breakfast Mr. Taylor started to his store and died suddenly while on the way, death resulting from heart failure. His remains were brought to Beaver Dam for burial, Tuesday. The burial was conducted by the masons, of which Mr. Taylor was an honored member. Mr. Taylor was for many years a druggist, and later postmaster, at Beaver Dam. About three years ago he went into the drug business at Nortonville, and later engaged in the same business at West Frankfort, Ill. Everett was one of the best of Ohio county's citizens, and a host of friends will join the Republican in sincere expressions of condolence to his wife and children.

ADJUDGED INSANE.

An Inquest was held in county court Tuesday, to inquire into the sanity of Pete Norman, of Cromwell, and after hearing the evidence of witnesses, the jury adjudged Norman of unsound mind and he will be sent to Hopkinsville Asylum. Norman was sent to the Asylum last spring but after a few weeks confinement, his condition appeared improved, and he was returned to his home. Recently he became violently insane again, and it was thought it unsafe to keep him at home. He is a single man and lived with his brother-in-law. Norman was a member of the Kentucky State Guard, and was with the Ohio County Company on the Mexican border, two years ago.

THE "DOCTOR'S COMBINE"

On another page of this paper the reader will find the doctors' defense of the "Combine," written by Dr. Oscar Allen, of Cromwell. The Doctor indeed undertakes a defense of the physician's just right to collect his accounts—a right we in no way attacked—but does not attempt an apology for the principle of the "Combine," the object of our denunciation.

Having some notion of the meaning of words we brought this unequivocal indictment: "Combinations to force individuals to a given action, whether it is undertaken by captains of industry or neighborhood regulators, is a wrong and harmful principle." There can be nothing ambiguous about that statement, but in order to avoid possible misunderstanding of our purpose we said, "with the doctor, as with others giving service, the laborer is worthy of his hire, and we have no argument to offer against the justice of such payment. He has a right to warn his patient that his labor must be paid for under penalty of withdrawal of his services." With this plain statement before him Dr. Allen was forced to strain his logic to read in what we said a defense or an apology for men who refuse to pay their doctor bills. The principle of business combinations for the purpose of raising prices is odious to public sentiment, and has been prohibited by legislation by the federal congress, as well as by the legislatures of most of the states. "Owing to the scarcity of doctors they will make an increased charge for night calls." There we have it in unblushing terms—an agreement to increase prices with the frank statement that it was done because the doctors are scarce. The combine was entered into before the war closed. The length of the harvest ahead might be a long one. But now the war is over and the doctors will soon be home again. And they will come with increased prestige. Few of them, we take it, will join the "Combine"—we assume as much because public sentiment in regard to the matter has been freely expressed.

We note the Doctor says "The real scientific doctor who is at the same time a good business man, is the exception, rather than the rule." The Doctor thus states a great, unvarying law of the human mind, and apparently without grasping its significance. The mind that is scientifically great can not be mercenary. To such a mind money-getting is a mean necessity. The man devoted to his science, whom nature endowed with a ranscedant genius may, by the very excellence of his labor, become the favorite rather than the builder of a fortune, but the humbler genius, though no less earnest in his effort to become a benefactor of his fellow-men, is by the very earnestness and singleness of purpose a poor financier. It is the rule rather than the exception in the practice of medicine that the better the doctor the poorer the financier. The reason is not far to seek. His thought, energy, time, pride—indeed his very soul is dedicated to the single purpose of achieving what really great minds hunger for—excellence in his profession. The purely mercenary mind should not enter upon any of the liberal professions. Its place is on the stock exchange. We have the highest respect for the medical profession, and we are now defending it against its attack upon itself. We were once in a doctor's office when he received a call (from a poor family) some miles away, to see a child that was struggling with a foreign substance in its throat. The doctor called back "How are you fixed for paying?" I said to him "You ought to have been with the 'Money Changers' who were whipped out of the temple." No, Doctor, we have no defense for those who will not pay their doctor's bills, but we do protest against sixteen members of your profession reducing it to the level of a trade.

HEARD THE LAST GUN.

Young man who saw the end of the great conflict writes interesting letter to his parents.
Somewhere Near Germany,
November 14, 1918.

Mr. Lee Mason,
Centertown, Ky.

Dear Father:—Just a line to dear old Dad to let you know that I am still living, and heard the fatal shot that brought peace to this old world once more. I am proud to say I saw the final end, and that I am still living, and helping the American Expeditionary forces to rejoice over our great victory.

This is a great time in France now. Wish you were over here to help us rejoice. I know you are some happy people in the states, but just think of us over here. Don't you think we are the ones to be happy?

I am only waiting until I can hear that big ship call us aboard for the grand old United States. And it is then I shall be happier than ever. I think by the time we sail I shall have seen as much of this country as I ever care to see. I shall then be ready to stay at home the rest of my days with Papa and Mamma. But if it is ever to be done again don't think I shall not be ready to come back. I am just like I was before I came. I wanted to come, and I told you all the time I did, but I really don't think you believed it.

Your Only son in France,
STILLIE.

NEW BANK FIXTURES.

The Bank of Hartford has bought, and will install by the first of the year, complete new fixtures. The new bank fixtures will be the most costly and attractive of its kind to be found in a small town bank in Kentucky. The base is finely polished marble, and the wire casing above is a modern design of a very attractive character. But with all the added dignity of the Bank's appearance, "Mut" Hunter will still wear that oldtime farm boy smile while waiting on the customers of the "Old Reliable."

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Doctor, we want to assure you that the men who have condemned our course are not "Hit dogs." It would not be a justice to them perhaps to publish their names, but if you will call on us in person, we will give you a large number of them. A young farmer in your own community came into our office since we received your letter—and he never wanted for a dollar in his life, and is perhaps a patron of yours—and paying his subscription remarked, "I will pay for another year. If you send the paper blank for the remainder of the year your roast of the doctors' combine was worth the price of a years subscription."

MOVES TO OHIO COUNTY.

Ex-Sheriff, Ed F. Ewan and son Bertram and two children moved Monday, to a farm in Ohio County near Hartford, which Mr. Ewan recently bought. Before leaving Mr. Ewan expressed his regrets at having to leave Hancock county and said that he had tried to find a farm in the county that would suit him, for sale at a price that he could afford to pay, but that he had not been able. There is probably no better known or more highly respected man in Hancock county than Ed Ewan. He served the people of this county as Deputy sheriff for eight years and for the past four years served as sheriff. During his long tenure of office he managed the affairs of his office in such a way that he made many friends and few enemies.—Hancock Clarion.

Mr. Ewan bought Mr. Tom Duke's farm, near Sunnydale.

EX-OFFICIAL DIES.

Mr. Sam Leach died, at his home south of Beaver Dam, Saturday, and was buried in the family burying ground Sunday. Mr. Leach died of pneumonia following an attack of influenza. He was sick about ten days. Sam Leach was one of the best, as well as one of the best known, citizens of the county. He was at one time Assessor of the county, and later served as justice of the peace. He was a man of wide information and public spirit, and always took an active interest in the welfare of his community and county. The Republican extends sincere condolence to his bereaved family.

DOG DAYS OVER.

With the new dog tag law going into effect January 1, and less than a hundred tags sold, it looks like the dog days were about over. The law makes it the duty of the sheriff to impound all dogs found without tags after the first of the year, and allows him a fee of three dollars for his trouble.

The law provides a penalty of a fine

of not more than \$100 and imprisonment of not more than thirty days for any dog owner who does not comply with the law, and also provides a penalty of from five to twenty five dollars fine for the sheriff or his deputy who does not impound any dog found without a tag. Dog owners should take warning and provide their dogs with tags before the first day of January.

OUR HONOR ROLL.

The names below are those of our soldier boys who were killed or died of wounds in France, and are the names that will be inscribed on the monument to be erected here. We made a diligent effort to make this roll complete but are not sure we have done so. If there are any other martyrs to their country, whose names we did not get, friends or relatives will please be good enough to report them. We want the names of those who were killed or died of wounds received in battle.

Arthur B. Laws.
Robert Davis.
Sergt. Eddie Lee.
Ceel Draper.
Lee Kieth.
Oscar Durall.
John Crow.
Chester Reed.
Sergt. Chas. C. Main.
Malin A. Benton.
Cyrus Williams.
Dudley Evans.
Douglas Taylor.
Clarence Gabbert.

A KID IN COURT.

The youngest oldest married man ever arraigned before the Ohio county court was before Judge Cook, a few days ago, on a charge of deserting his infant children. John Harrel, of McHenry, married a few days before he was fifteen years old, and although not yet twenty one, has been married more than five years. He still looks the kid. He and his wife seem to have formed the separating habit, and after a recent separation she had a warrant issued charging him with failing to provide for their two infant children. Harrel waived examining trial and was held under bond to answer at the next term of circuit court.

THE SEASON'S SALES OWENSBORO MARKET

The tobacco sales on the Owensboro loose leaf market, to the close of last week, since the season opened December 2, at the various houses were:

West Ninth-Street House.
1,393,605 pounds, average \$16.03.
Lancaster House.
938,605 pounds average \$15.05
Daviness County House.
579,850 pounds, average \$14.97
Equity House.
295,390 pounds, average \$15.46.
Field Bros.
116,540 pounds, average \$15.22
Electric House.
66,255 pounds, average \$14.61
Total Sale For The Season.
3,386,245 pounds, average \$15.43

CHARGED WITH BUTTING.

Agnes Brookins, colored, of Hayti, must answer to the commonwealth on the unusual charge of butting. Bas Lawrence's wife alleges that Agnes assaulted her by butting her, in billy goat fashion. The county attorney will carefully scan the statutes to see if the law has provided any special penalty for butting, but if it develops there is no special statute covering the case Agnes will be prosecuted for just plain breach of the peace.

RECENT WARRANTS.

The evil doers, like the poor, we have always with us. Among those charged with evil doing recent we note the following:

R. B. Harrel, of McHenry, has sworn out a warrant for the arrest of Charlie House, alleging that House purloined \$51 dollars from his trunk, and skidded.

Denver Coots, of Sunnydale, is wanted by the county officials on a charge of housebreaking. It is charged that he broke into George Hickey's store, at Dukehurst, and carried away a quantity of goods. Coots is reported to have left his community Saturday night and has not since been seen.

FOR SALE.

Lot and two story brick storehouse, good condition and most desirable location. Address Box 321, Hartford, or apply at this office. 21lf.

TO HEAD OFF FOOD SPECULATORS

Methods Being Sought To Regulate Prices After War

By Robert W. Hobbs.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Some method of continuation of government supervision of retail food prices is being sought to prevent an outbreak of food profiteering at the conclusion of peace.

Immediately on the signing of the armistice, it is charged, retailers began to jump in prices, feeling that the war was over and that the decks were again cleared for business as normal, which they are said to have interpreted to mean "all that the traffic will bear."

The enforcement division of the food administration was at once flooded with complaints. It proceeded to hurry a warning to all state administrators and their assistants that the fair price lists were to be continued and the margins of profit allowed retailers on staple commodities would not be varied while the administration was in existence. This will be until the President proclaims peace.

The final message of Herbert Hoover to his confidential assistants before he left for Europe contained a warning to them of the necessity of activities against profiteering:

"We should at once begin to relax the regulation and control measures of the food administration at every point where they do not open a possibility of profiteering and speculation. This we can not and will not permit so far as our abilities extend until the last day that we have authority under the law."

Plans understood to have received approval at the White House before the President went abroad looked towards an extension of the Federal trade commissions' activities and their assumption of the fair price activities of the food administrations and its enforcement division. No steps have been taken toward such a transfer, however, and W. B. Colver, chairman of the commission, points out the constitutional difficulty.

The constitution authorizes the federal government to regulate interstate commerce, but the business of the average grocer or butcher is not only intrastate but usually intracity.

Suggestions that these activities be transferred to the Department of Labor, which for years has maintained force of trained examiners to report the rise and fall of the cost of living (usually rise) meets with the objection from the department that the value of this reporting service lies entirely in its being absolutely divorced from any administrative functions which might color its judicial attitude.

In any case the constitutional limit would affect the labor department and also the bureau of markets of the Department of Commerce, which is another place to which the activities might be transferred.

Members of the food administration point out, however, that the administration was successful through public opinion in enforcing its rulings before its definition of profiteering was accepted as a lawful dictum. It believes that a continuation of its community fair price boards under some other authority would force retailers to accept their price basis, for consumers would refuse to trade with such as exceeded these.

A slogan of the food administration would be the ruling regulation on which all others would depend. It follows:

"For the farmer, a reasonable return; for the dealer, a living profit; for the speculator, not one cent; for the consumer, the lowest price consistent with fair dealing."

FIDDLE SPREADS FLU.

Mr. Billie Boyd, a Centertown merchant, is an excellent fiddler, and exercise of the art always brings a crowd of willing listeners. A few nights ago while playing in his usual goodly number of citizens gathered in to enjoy the music. Among the number was a young man with flu. Twenty of the persons present now have the disease, and five of pneumonia have developed. Incident should serve as a warning to the public to avoid congress

DR. ALLEN REPLIES TO "DOCTORS COMBINE"

States Mercenary Claims For The Medical Profession.

Cromwell, Ky., Dec. 10, 1918.
Mr. John H. Thomas,
Hartford, Ky.

Dear Sir:—A few weeks ago you had an editorial in the Hartford Republican entitled: "The Doctors Combine," in which you seemed very much distressed over our organization. We could not help but wonder why? In your next issue you state that you voiced the sentiment of many good citizens all over the county, and advise that we meet and rescind such action as we have taken because of its being a dangerous precedent and detrimental to the community.

To those who have been successful in securing medical service, by just promising to pay for it, we will admit, it is detrimental to them and of course we expect them to raise a howl, because dropping a "Gold Brick" on a fellow's head is sure liable to be more or less painful, just according to how hard it strikes him you know.

I will not question your motive in writing this editorial, but take it for granted you are sincere in your views, and welcome this opportunity to give you some ideas from the "Doctors" viewpoint, feeling that you are broad-minded enough to give every phase of a subject due consideration.

There are many things connected with the "practice of medicine," that are not fully appreciated by the "Laity," in fact they do not think very much about the doctor or his profession, only when they get sick, and then they expect him to come when called regardless of the weather, day or night, and ask no questions about the pay; and if he does ask about his pay, some even think he is hard-hearted because he will not visit the sick unless he is paid for it.

The medical profession itself is responsible in a great measure for many of the ideas you expressed, ideas which have been handed down from generation to generation.

Years ago in the settlement of this country there were practically no restrictions on the practice of medicine, and any one who felt so inclined could get him a few roots and herbs, visit the sick, and win for himself the title; "Doctor." Many of the older people can recall knowing doctors of this type.

These men went whenever and wherever called and never asked for any pay. They eked out a bare existence, many of them worked at something else for an additional support. They never made any advancement in the knowledge of medicine save that which was gained from observation.

I say this with all due respect to those old pioneers of medicine. They did a great service for their respective communities and should be honored for the work they have so generously done.

Medicine gradually became more of a science, more restrictions were placed around it, the requirements became more rigid, until at the present time you rarely see a doctor who is not a graduate of a reputable medical college.

The business phase of medicine has not kept pace with the scientific phase. New remedies and methods of treating diseases were being discovered by the great students of medicine, which necessitated continual reading and study to keep abreast of the times. This prevented in a measure, the study of the business side of the profession. It is a common expression made that: "Doctors are poor business men," that is quite true in most instances. The real scientific doctor and at the same time a good business man is an exception, rather than a rule. The average salary of the doctors of the state just previous to the war, was only about eight hundred dollars a year. Any one who will give this a moments thought will know that we can not live on a salary of that size and keep pace with the advancement of medicine.

The people for whom we practice are entitled to the best service that can possibly be rendered, and in order to give this, we must have time for study, we must take medical journals, attend Medical Societies, and occasionally take Post-Graduate work.

What we really need is to do less practice and get more for what we do; then we should have time for study and means to equip ourselves for better and more efficient service.

We make a great many unnecessary calls, and in most instances, those who do not pay us, are the ones who take up our time with unnecessary trips; for instance: I once had a hurried call to drive about six miles to see a fellow who had fallen from his porch and he believed his arm was dislocated. It was about nine o'clock at night and the rain was

coming down in torrents. I had been driving all day and my horses were tired. Knowing my pay would be doubtful, I made inquiry about who would pay the bill, the answer was: If you are afraid to risk him you need not come, and I did not go. It turned out that his arm was not hurt much, but he did not know how bad it might be and thought it would not cost anything to have a doctor to come and see. All of us have experiences of this kind.

There are four classes of people: First, those who pay promptly. Second, those who are good pay but slow. Third, those who could but will not pay and Fourth, those who can not pay. Every man can be placed in one of these classes or rather he places himself there.

Just a word about the second class or those who are good but slow, it is our desire to stimulate them to more prompt settlement it takes too much of our time book-keeping. And the third class, those who could pay, but will not, we do not have much pity for them. They take our time and labor and pay us nothing for it. They are the ones who talk disrespectfully of us when we present our bills. We are always shy of the fellow who comes to us with a story of disrespect for the doctor who has previously treated him or his family; nine times out of ten he has not paid his bill and he wants to fleece you. He wants to justify himself for not paying and so he talks about the doctor and tries to leave the impression that he is no good and that his services were not worth anything. He is the fellow that sues you for mal-practice upon the least provocation. He is the broad, open, daylight, robber. Brother this is the fellow we are after.

In regard to the fourth class, or those who can not pay, there is not a great number of people who really can not pay the doctor, but now why should we do their practice for nothing? You do not expect the grocer to furnish them with groceries free of charge, you do not expect the tailor to keep them in clothes, and you would hardly think of sending them your paper one year with another.

Why not put them on the County or State or if not why not the neighbors chip in and pay the doctor just like they would the merchant or groceryman—we would go our part and more.

I do not believe there is any profession that equals ours in the amount of charitable work done or that is expected of us. And if those who condemn because we are trying to break these fetters which have bound us for generations, were put to the test they would be surprised at their own uncharitableness and chagrined at their thoughtlessness in censuring the medical profession for striving to put the practice of medicine on a business basis.

OSCAR ALLEN M. D.
Secy. Ohio Co., Medical Society.

Wheezing in the lungs indicates that phlegm is obstructing the air passages. Ballard's Horehound Syrup loosens the phlegm so that it can be caught up and ejected. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by Ohio County Drug Co.

IAN-HATING WOMEN LIVE "WEDDED" LIFE

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 14.—How they lived together as man and wife and how the husband for two years had concealed the fact from neighbors and friends that "he" was a woman, was disclosed following the arrest here of "Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Bert Schmidt."

Smoking a cigarette when arrested and denouncing "his" arrest as "damned ridiculous," the "husband" kept up "his bravado for some time, after "he" had told a story which Chief of Detectives Hannegan declared one of the most remarkable in his experience.

The "husband" is really Mrs. Mary Bertha Schmidt, who came to this country twelve years ago from Hungary. The "wife" is Miss Mary Asse, a cousin of the "husband."

"I always hated men as did Mary also, so we both decided to get married. The ceremony was performed by a justice of the peace and we bought a nice little home in South St. Louis. We were living together very happily until the police interfered."

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE. FRANK J. CHENEY.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886. A. W. GLEASON,
(Seal) Notary Public.
Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System. Send for testimonials, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all druggists, etc.
Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

NATURAL CONCLUSION.

"Wait here a minute till I buy a shirt."

"Why I thought you had one."—Froth.

THE EXODUS BEGINS FROM CAMP TAYLOR

Mustering Out 2,000 Per Day Is The Aim Of Officers

(Louisville Herald)

Escorting the happy ones to outgoing trains without congestion at railroad depots, Maj. George T. Wilhelm's demobilizing force of Camp Zachary Taylor, under its rapidly perfecting system, discharged 1,319 enlisted men and officers from the 159th Depot Brigade, 2nd Development Battalion and Field Artillery Replacement Depot yesterday. Of this number 700 were from the first named organization, 300 from the development battalion and 300 from the replacement section. This week 8,000 or 10,000 from local organizations and several thousand casualties which are coming in from other camps will get out of the military service. The hope is to get men out at the rate of 2,000 a day, beginning Monday, Maj. Wilhelm said.

The casualties from other camps will arrive at the rate of 1,500 a day, the first thirty-eight men of whom from Camp Meade, Admiral, Md., including enlistments from Indiana, Illinois, Missouri and several scattered states, got in last night and were assigned to quarters in the 159th Depot Brigade. Others will follow in bunches of 100 or more from Camp Kearney, Cal.; Fort Sill, Okla.; Garden City, Long Island, Chicago; Camp Devens, Mass.; Camp Johnston, Jacksonville, Fla.; Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss.; Camp Jackson, S. C.; Camp Humphrey, Va.; Camp Grant, Ill., and other training centers. The 814 Pioneer Infantry, with 36 white officers and 1,119 negro enlisted men arrived at Hoboken, N. J. wired for orders yesterday and will reach Louisville Wednesday or Thursday, of this week.

Good Record Made.

Up to 6 o'clock last night, Major Wilhelm said, Camp Taylor had mustered out of the military service 12,770 enlisted men and 1,391 officers, or 15 per cent of the men from all the camps in the country since the armistice was signed. "We believe this is a good record for the local cantonment," said he. "By next Wednesday we hope to finish up with the main organizations scheduled, all but the casualties. All of the latter that get in by next Sunday will surely get home for Christmas. By midnight of the 21st the Camp will be pretty well cleaned out and by the 23rd all who are scheduled to get home by Christmas will be well on their way." Major Wilhelm, himself, will leave Monday, December 23 for Cedar Rapids, Ia., his home, to spend the holidays. As announced those of the permanent camp forces not to get leave or furloughs for Christmas will get to go in time to arrive at destination by New Year's Day.

More Wounded Men Coming.

Fifteen more wounded soldiers are expected today at the base hospital from Des Moines, Ia. They have been in a specialty hospital there. "Watch Your Step," Sergeant Irving Berliu's "syncopated musical success," with a happy chorus of good looking girls was the bill at the Liberty Theater last night with a final performance tonight, the theater being dark for the remainder of the week.

Second Lieut. Lewis H. McShann, of the 19th Battalion, 159th Depot Brigade, for the shooting and killing of a negro soldier, one Private John Mitchell, of the 442d Reserve Labor Battalion, Camp Knox, Ky., in the discharge of his duty, was acquitted by general court-martial at Camp Taylor and the findings have been approved. The shooting took place at Tenth and Walnut streets in Louisville, on November 14, while Lieut. McShann was in military police service.

Private Harker H. Miller, of Battery D, 4th Regiment, Field Artillery Replacement Depot, Cardington, O., died at the base hospital yesterday of pneumonia following an attack of influenza.

Sickly children need White's Cream Vermifuge. It not only destroys worms, if there be any, but it acts as a strengthening tonic in the stomach and bowels. Price 30c per bottle. Sold by Ohio County Drug Co.

REVENGE.

What is it the mob always seeks? Not justice, but revenge. Punishment according to law will not suffice. It is torture that is demanded. Of course perfect justice the law may seldom secure. It may take a life for a life; it can not make reparation for the inexpressible spiritual suffering a crime, involving murder, for example, may have caused. But beyond the punishment provided by the law men and nations may not go. They may not make even the slightest approach toward a punishment in-

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spired by the spirit of revenge. The idea of subjecting the criminal to physical torment as part of his penalty is abhorrent both to a right-minded man and a just tribunal.

When, however, one reads to-day the comments of many an American newspaper and the reports of the public utterances of more or less distinguished politicians, ministers, and others, he is startled to see the old spirit of the mob asserting itself. The enemies of the Allies must not simply be punished, made to make reparation wherever reparation can be made, we are told, but their cities must be burned, their lands laid waste, that is, we must commit the same crimes they have committed, and which have horrified us and outraged our sense of justice. Then what better are we than they? How much further toward the truth and the light has our "Kultur" led us than theirs has lead them?

It is out of this spirit that springs the desire to see the war ended, not when the things the Allies have fought for are fully obtained, but only when, with the ends attained, there can not be present also the consciousness on the part of the victors that they have had their revenge. Shall this war brutalize us, or shall we come out of it with our ideals of justice and honor still unimpaired?—Our Dumb Animals.

Heartburn is a system of indigestion. Take a dose of Herbine in such cases. The pain disappears instantly. The bowels operate speedily and you feel fine, vigorous and cheerful. Price 60c. Sold by Ohio County Drug Co.

TO AVOID THE "FLU" DO THESE THINGS.

Keep the body and clothing clean. Keep the body warm and dry. Avoid overheated, dusty, ill-ventilated rooms. Avoid crowds as much as possible. Walk in the open air when weather conditions permit. Take plenty of rest and sleep. Eat good, simple, wholesome food. Watch your symptoms closely. When in doubt go to bed and send for a doctor.

Keep living and sleeping rooms well ventilated. Keep warm. Avoid chills. Avoid sneezers and coughers all you can.

Use good disinfectants on your handkerchiefs. Ask your druggist or doctor about this point. You can use menthol, cinnamon oil or camphor. Dress warmly.

Avoid excesses. Change underclothes frequently. Treat a "common cold" as soon as you discover it. Keep a supply of clean handkerchiefs handy.

Spread the gospel of prevention among your friends.

Keep your nose and throat sprayed and disinfected every day. Ask your doctor or druggist for a good disinfectant to use for the purpose.

Surgeons agree that in case of Cuts, Burns, Bruises and Wounds the First Treatment is most important. When an efficient antiseptic is applied promptly, there is no danger of infection and the wound begins to heal at once. For use on man or beast, Borzone is the Ideal Antiseptic and Healing Agent. Buy it now and be ready for an emergency. Price 25c, 50c, \$1.00 and \$1.50. Sold by Ohio County Drug Co.

HALF FARE RAILROAD RATE FOR CLERGYMEN.

St. Louis, Dec. 14.—A special rate of one-half fare will be granted to clergymen over the railroads beginning January 1, according to a letter received to-day by the Rev. W. S. Foreman from Director General McAdoo. The letter from the Director was in response to one from the Rev. Foreman, pointing out that in many instances salaries received by the clergy did not permit them to pay the increased railroad fare.

HOW OUR CAVALRY HORSES FARE.

Just how Uncle Sam cares for his cavalry horses is told in a long letter to Mrs. Charlie Francis Darling, president of the Worcester Branch, Massachusetts S. P. C. A., by Lieut. James E. Masterson, veterinary corps, U. S. A., now at Camp Greenleaf, Chickamauga, Ga. Among many interesting things, Lieut. Masterson writes:

"We have had an exceedingly hot summer down here, and no doubt you are wondering if the horses ever get overheated, sun-struck, etc. Well, ordinarily, the latter conditions might happen, but all kinds of precautions are taken. We work our animals six days a week and only about four or five hours a day. Two in the morning, two in the afternoon, and occasionally a little extra work now and then is allowed. Everything in the United States army is done by system. This wonderful system extends to the stable work and care of animals as well as men.

"All horses and mules are quartered in corrals. These corrals have a three-sided long shed extending on each side. It is 200 feet long, 10 feet wide and 15 feet high with a flat roof pitched just enough to let the water drain off. All parts of the stable except that reached by horses' heads are whitewashed often. Feed boxes are washed and cleaned daily, also disinfected at least once a week.

"The front sides of our stables are entirely open shielded only from wind and rain by a canvas. If the horses do not stand in a draught, the colder the stable the better. This is especially true of the cavalry horses, because if called to take the field suddenly, they will not suffer a sudden chill.

"In case a horse becomes wet, he is rubbed with dry straw until fairly dry, care being taken to follow from hindquarters to head, and always against the way the hair grows. In case he is wet, hot or cold, he is sometimes blanketed. The legs are hand-rubbed and later blanket is removed and horse is groomed.

"Each cavalry man as a rule, loves his horse far more than words can describe, but some of the work horses, pack-train and mules don't fare quite so well. They can't be abused, however, especially if an officer is near. If you think of anything the society would like to know about camp life or the animals, let me know, and I'll tell you, if possible.

QUITS ROAD FOR SAFETY BUT IS KILLED BY TRAIN

Cleveland, Dec. 14.—C. A. Lidle, after thirty years "on the road" with the Erie Railroad, abandoned his job to avoid danger from the trains.

LIVER DIDN'T ACT DIGESTION WAS BAD

Says 65 year Old Kentucky Lady, Who Tells How She Was Relieved
After a Few Doses of Black-Draught.

Meadowville, Ky.—Mrs. Cynthia Higginbotham, of this town, says: "At my age, which is 65, the liver does not act so well as when young. A few years ago, my stomach was all out of fix. I was constipated, my liver didn't act. My digestion was bad, and it took so little to upset me. My appetite was gone. I was very weak... I decided I would give Black-Draught a thorough trial as I knew it was highly recommended for this trouble. I began taking it. I felt better after a few doses. My appetite improved and I became stronger. My bowels acted naturally and the least trouble was soon righted with a few

And every day since his wife would congratulate herself that now she could be content in the knowledge that he would come home safe from his work in the office of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen.

Then, one day, he took a holiday and with his wife visited a cousin at Warren, O. The three went riding in the cousins automobile. They came to a crossing.

All three were killed by a passing train.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

BOZIE BULGER TELLS THIS.

Bozeman Bulger made a trip back to his childhood's happy home in Dadeville, Ala., and when he returned to New York he brought this one with him:

A negro was on the stand in an Alabama courthouse testifying to the details of a shooting scrape. The witness told how the prisoner at the bar drew a revolver and began firing at one Jim Henry and how Jim Henry ran to save himself.

"You say Jim Henry ran?" interjected the lawyer for the defense.

"Dat's mbut I said."

"You are sure he ran?"

"Sho is!"

"Well, did he run fast?"

"Did he run fa—," Say boss, ef dat nigger had a' had one feather in his hand he'd a' flew."—Saturday Evening Post.

Mrs. Isley's Letter.

In a recent letter Mrs. D. W. Isley, of Litchfield, Ill., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Tablets for disorders of the stomach and as a laxative, and have found them a quick and sure relief." If you are troubled with indigestion or constipation these tablets will do you good.

NEGRO OVER 100, "JINES THE CHUCH."

Atlanta, Dec. 14.—Will Wright, a negro over 100 years old, was a witness recently in the divorce courts of Atlanta, testifying on behalf of his great grand-daughter who was seeking alimony. Wright, who was known along in 1848 as "Fiddling Bill," declared on the stand that, although he had "called" at many a dance in the old days, he "hadn't dilled any since 1866, when he j'ined de chuch."

"Here, waiter, this plate is damp!" said a traveler who was dining in a cheap restaurant.

"Ah!" said the waiter, "that's your soup! We serve only small portions in wartime!"

doses of Black-Draught."

Seventy years of successful use has made Theodor's Black-Draught a standard, household remedy. Every member, of every family, at times, need the help that Black-Draught can give in cleansing the system and relieving the troubles that come from constipation, indigestion, lazy liver, etc. You cannot keep well unless your stomach, liver and bowels are in good working order. Keep them that way. Try Black-Draught. It acts promptly, gently and in a natural way. If you feel sluggish, take a dose tonight. You will feel fresh tomorrow. Price 25c. a package—One cent All druggists

RECORD CROP OF WHEAT EXPECTED

Sixteen Per Cent Larger Than Last Years Crop.

Washington, Dec. 16.—The largest winter wheat crop ever grown in the history of the United States is promised by the enormous acreage sown this fall. The acreage is almost 16 per cent larger than last year's, and totals 49,027,000 acres.

Winter wheat was sown this fall on 49,027,000 acres, or 15.9 per cent more than the revised estimated area sown in the fall of 1917, which was 42,301,000 acres, the Department of Agriculture to-day announced.

The condition of the crop on December 1st, was 98.5 of a normal, compared with 79.3 a year ago, 83.7 in 1916 and a ten year average of 88.2.

The area sown to rye is 6,820,000 acres, which is 1.7 per cent more than the revised estimated area sown in the fall of 1917, which was 6,708,000 acres.

The condition of the crop on December 1st was 89.6 per cent of a normal, compared with 84.1 a year ago, 88.8 in 1916 and a ten year average of 91.4.

A crop of 765,000,000 bushels, or 50,000,000 bushels more than the best record, is forecast by the Department of Agriculture as next year's winter wheat yield, allowing for winter killing and spring abandonment. Last year's crop was 555,725,000 bushels.

In a statement summarizing the report the department said:

"The new winter wheat crop promise far transcends the performance of any past year in the history of the United States.

"The United States Department of Agriculture and State agricultural leaders asked that the acreage be increased over the big acreage of 42,301,000 planted last fall to at least 45,000,000 acres and suggested as desirable 47,000,000 acres which it was thought could be attained if conditions were favorable. A long and almost perfect fall planting season, coupled with an extraordinary effort on the part of the farmers, resulted in the seeding of a total of 49,027,000 acres.

The same favorable season that permitted the amazing increase in acreage has also given to the growing wheat the finest condition on record, 98.5 per cent, with eight important wheat States at 100 per cent or over, and only one State, and that of small importance in winter wheat, below 90 per cent.

"The crop promise on the basis of the present acreage and condition, with allowance for average spring abandonment due to winter killing and assuming an average season for development, is for 765,000,000 bushels of winter wheat, which is 50,000,000 bushels more than produced in any year of record and 206,551,000 bushels more than the winter wheat production of this year.

"The rye acreage this autumn is slightly larger than last, being 6,820,000 compared to 6,708,000 acres. The condition is 89.6 per cent compared to 84.1 per cent last year and 1.4 per cent average, the conditions being held down by poor conditions in the important producing States of North and South Dakota. This forecasts a somewhat larger production than last year's record crop of 89,027,000 bushels."

When you have Backache the liver kidneys are sure to be out of gear. Sanol, it does wonders for the kidneys and bladder. A trial bottle will convince you. Get it at the drug store. 46-yr.

LET'S GAINER IN MUSTER-OUT

Washington, Dec. 14.—Demobilization of the military forces at home is gaining in momentum, General March, chief of staff, announced to-day, with approximately half of the 700,000 men in the home camps on November 11 specifically designated for early discharge.

Reports to the War Department, General March said, indicate a rate of discharge of about 15,000 men a day, which will be doubled when demobilization is in full progress. The lists of designated troops as given out by the chief of staff shows that of the combat divisions, which are to be demobilized last, 15,000 men already have been selected for early discharge.

In addition to the figures for the troops at home, General March said at 5,553 officers and 135,262 men of the expeditionary forces up to December 12, had been designated for turn, and of these 1,373 officers and 7,760 men already have sailed for home.

The troops designated for release are in the United States now, 34,000 men in addition to 17,000 men already discharged, and are in the following classes: De-

pot brigades, development battalions and replacement units, 332,000; industrial furloughs, 18,000; divisional troops, 15,000; corps and army troops, 42,000; coast artillery, 38,000; engineers, 42,000; Medical Corps, 3,000; ordnance, 4,000; quartermaster, 6,000; United States guards, 26,000; military aeronautics, 13,000; spruce production section, 30,000; Tank Corps, 7,000; chemical warfare, 7,000; coal miners, 6,000; special service units, 10,000; Student Army Training Corps, 160,000; officers' training schools, 30,000; troops attached to local boards, 3,000, and Porto Rican troops, 12,000.

Few Escape.

There are few indeed who escape having at least one cold during the winter months, and they are fortunate who have but one and get through with it quickly and without any serious consequences. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and observe the directions with each bottle, and you are likely to be one of the fortunate ones. The worth and merit of this remedy has been fully proven. There are many families who have always used it for years when troubled with a cough or cold, and with the very best results.

LAST CASUALTY LIST WILL SOON APPEAR

Washington, Dec. 16.—Gen. Pershing cabled the War Department to-day that practically complete reports of deaths in action among the Expeditionary forces should reach the Department by December 20, and of severely wounded by December 27.

Gen. Pershing said that the number of unreported casualties in process of verification at the central records office of the expeditionary forces on December 14, was 49,340. They were divided as follows: Killed in action, 390; died of wounds, 275; died of disease, 353; accidentally killed, 51; severely wounded in action, 39,371. These include all "suspense cases under investigation," the General said.

Total casualties to November 23 in the 30th (Wildcat) Division (North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee National Guard) were given as 7,623. The casualties were classified as follows: Killed in action, 1,168; died of wounds, 283; died of disease, 15; died of other causes, 5; severely wounded, 1,181; wounded, degree undetermined, 805; slightly wounded, 3,973; missing or captured, 193.

Gen. Pershing reported that the number of duplicated casualties discovered in the Central Records Office since November 27 would not operate to reduce the total for the entire Expeditionary Forces given in his summary of that date, as additional casualties reported more than offset the duplicates.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

"Ma" said a newspaper man's son, "I know why editors call themselves 'Ma'."

"Why?" "So's the man that doesn't like the article will think there are too many people for him to tackle."—Christian Work and Evangelist.

"Well," said Snaggs, "I think many dogs have more sense than their masters." "Yes," chimed in Griggs. "I have a dog like that myself." (And yet he couldn't make out why they laughed.)—Tid Bits.



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GIVE UNIFORMS TO SOLDIER BOYS

Senator Ashurst Offers a Bill In Congress For Purpose.

Washington, Dec. 14.—Give every discharged United States soldier, sailor or marine his uniform—and with it ninety days' extra pay.

That's the plan Senator Henry F. Ashurst, of Arizona, wants the government to adopt as part of its demobilization program.

Senator Ashurst knows that the average soldier will come out of the army without a Buffalo nickel to his name, and that he'll have to buy a suit of civilian clothes to replace his uniform under existing laws.

So he has combined two objects in one bill which he has introduced in the Senate. It was the first bill introduced at the December session of Congress.

Some New Uniforms.

"It must be obvious," said Senator Ashurst in explaining the purpose of his measure to me, "that every soldier highly prizes his uniform. Some are so circumstanced that they will want to wear their uniforms and save the expense of an extra suit of clothing after they are discharged.

"Moreover as the years go by and reviews are held, each soldier will want to wear his uniform in parades. In September, 1915, I saw thousands of Union and Confederate veterans march up Pennsylvania avenue—the same avenue up which they marched after the close of the Civil War fifty years before—and a few of them wore the same uniforms they had worn in '65 which they treasured as priceless.

"The government can make no use of discarded uniforms, and if it retains them they will only be moth-eaten and destroyed.

"As to granting ninety days' pay to each soldier, sailor and marine after his discharge, we must not forget that we have taken these men out of gainful occupations and have wrenched them from civilian life, and they have served civilization with a courage and valor beyond eulogy.

Would Cost \$240,000,000.

It will cost the United States \$240,000,000 to grant our men this extra ninety days' pay, but the patriotism of the people has been so well proven in the war that while this sum of money seems large, it will be cheerfully paid, in my judgment. It means only \$2.40 per person for the 100,000,000 people in this country.

"This payment amounting to approximately \$100 to a private, will give the soldier some means on which to travel and replace himself in civil life.

"I am going to appeal to the American people to support this bill by writing their senators and representatives, urging early and favorable action on it."

QUESTION BOX.

(Pathfinder.)

Negroes Elected to Congress.

Ques. Have any negroes ever been elected to the U. S. senate or house of representatives? If so please name them and indicate the State from which each name came.—Ans. There have been two negro senators and 20 negro representatives, as follows: Senators—B. K. Bruce, Miss.; Hiram Revels, Miss. Representatives—R. H. Cain, S. C.; H. P. Chestnut, N. C.; R. C. DeLarge, S. C.; R. B. Elliott, S. C.; Perry Hairston, Ala.; John Hyman, N. C.; J. M. Langston, Va.; Jeff Long, Ga.; J. R. Lynch, Miss.; T. H. Miller, S. C.; G. W. Murray, S. C.; E. Nash, La.; J. E. O'Hara, N. C.; J. E. Rainey, S. C.; A. J. Ransier, S. C.; J. T. Rapier, Ala.; Robert Smalk, S. C.; B. S. Turner, Ala.; J. T. Wall, Fla.; G. H. White, N. C.

The Mule A Hybrid.

Ques. Please give the sire and dam of a mule.—Ans. Sire, Jackass; dam, (of horse genus). Ques. 2. What is a jackass?—Ans. Male ass; belongs to horse family but differs from horse in being smaller, having no hard, bony warts on hind legs and having ears relatively much longer than those of a horse. Ques. 3. Are mules mongrels?—Ans. Yes, or more properly, hybrids.

Postage, San Francisco to London.

Ques. What postage is required to carry a letter from San Francisco to London?—Ans. Three cents for each ounce or fraction thereof.

Disposition of German Prisoners.

Ques. What was done with the thousands of Germans taken prisoners by the U. S. and allied armies?—Ans. They were confined in various prison camps.

The Balkan States.

Ques. Please name the Balkan states in Europe.—Ans. Name ordinarily includes Rumania, Serbia and Bulgaria, in Balkan peninsula, though it is sometimes extended to include some parts of Turkey, parts

of Montenegro, parts of old Austro-Hungarian empire and even Greece.

How Iron Is Tinned.

Ques. Please tell me how sheets of iron are plated or coated with tin to make what is called tin plate.—Ans. Iron is first "pickled" by immersing it in dilute sulphuric acid, then polished by brushing it with sand and finally dipped in molten tin or molten mixture of lead and tin.

Daylight Saving and Coal Economy.

Ques. How did the daylight saving plan the last summer save such great quantities of coal as has been claimed?—Ans. Daylight saving idea is simply to turn clocks forward one hour during the summer when daylight periods are long, thus causing everyone to rise an hour earlier and so make use of an extra hour of daylight. Under this plan more people do all of their sleeping during period of darkness and have practically all of the daylight period for their work or recreation. In this way, it is figured, each person reduces his consumption of artificial light by one hour daily and this effects a great saving in coal, seeing that coal is burned to produce both gas and electricity which are widely used illuminants.

Responsibility For Liberty Bonds

Ques. Is the head of our government responsible for the redemption of Liberty Bonds? If not, who is?—Ans. Government and nation are pledged to redemption of these bonds and nation's resources are back of them as security.

Degrees of Scholarship.

Ques. How did degrees such as D. D., Ph. D., etc., originate and how long have they been used?—Ans. Scholastic distinctions existed in ancient times but practice of conferring degrees by educational institutions did not begin until medieval times when education became organized; universities then recognized need of something showing that certain course of study had been taken by students. Degrees similar to those of modern times were first conferred at Bologna and Paris in 12th century. At first degrees served as licenses to teach.

Government's Life Insurance Policies.

Ques. My son who is in the army took out a government life insurance policy several months ago. He named me as his beneficiary and wrote that the government would shortly send me a receipt but no receipt has ever come. Why this delay?—Ans. Such papers are being sent out by the war risk bureau as rapidly as possible but there is an enormous volume of such work to be done. These certificates do not have to be in the hands of beneficiaries in order to make the insurance protection effective; they simply serve as evidence of the existence of the contract of insurance and do not form any part thereof. No-one need feel any apprehension, therefore, if this paper has not yet been received but if it does not come in reasonable time it may be well to communicate with Division of Naval Bureau, Bureau of Vision of Naval and Military Insurance, War Risk Insurance Bureau, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.

Education for Disabled Soldiers.

Ques. How can a returned disabled soldier or sailor take advantage of the educational opportunities offered by the government for such men?—Ans. "Reconstruction Division" has been organized to handle all matters relating to education of returned soldiers and sailors who have been disabled since entering the U. S. service. Full information can be obtained from and an application can be made to Hospital Division, Surgeon General's Office, Bldg., "F", 7th and B. Sts., Washington, D. C.

Officers In U. S. Army.

Ques. Please give title and rank of men in U. S. army from private to highest officer.—Ans. Private, corporal, sergeant, second lieutenant, first lieutenant, captain, major, lieutenant, colonel, brigadier general, lieutenant general and general.

For Croup.

splendid for croup," writes Mrs. Edw. Massett, Frankfort, N. Y. "My children have been quickly relieved of attacks of this dreadful complaint by its use." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE

Ohio Circuit Court.

C. M. Crowe, Admrs., etc., Plaintiff.

VS.

Mary A. Wilson, et al., Defendants.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court, entered at its November, 1918, term in the above styled action directing me as Commissioner of the said Court to sell the hereinafter described land for the purpose of dividing the proceeds, after the payment of all costs including the costs of this sale, among the parties entitled thereto, I will offer for sale at public outcry to the



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This amount is paid to the farmer for live stock, by Swift & Company alone, during the trading hours of every business day.

All this money is paid to the farmer through the open market in competition with large and small packers, shippers, speculators and dealers.

The farmer, feeder, or shipper receives every cent of this money (\$300,000 an hour, nearly \$2,000,000 a day, \$11,500,000 a week) in cash, on the spot, as soon as the stock he has just sold is weighed up.

Some of the money paid to the farmer during a single day comes back to the company in a month from sale of products; much does not come back for sixty or ninety days or more. But the next day Swift & Company, to meet the demands made by its customers, must pay out another \$2,000,000 or so, and at the present high price levels keeps over \$250,000,000 continuously tied up in goods on the way to market and in bills owed to the company.

This gives an idea of the volume of the Swift & Company business and the requirements of financing it. Only by doing a large business can this company turn live stock into meat and by-products at the lowest possible cost, prevent waste, operate refrigerator cars, distribute to retailers in all parts of the country—and be recompensed with a profit of only a fraction of a cent a pound—a profit too small to have any noticeable effect on the price of meat or live stock.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.



highest and best bidder at the Court House door in Hartford, Ky., on Monday the 6th day of January, 1919, it being the first day of the regular term of the Ohio Circuit Court, at about the hour of one o'clock, P. M., on a credit of six and twelve months, the following described real estate, situated in Ohio County, Kentucky, near Rosine.

Tract No. 1. Beginning at two white oaks on the side corner of Wm. Wilson's; thence N. 81 E. 40 poles to three black oaks; thence N. 45 1/2 E. 62 poles to a gum, hickory and black oak; thence 15 E. 44 poles to two hickories and white oak; thence S. W. 104 poles to a white oak and beech on a line of original survey, being Pigman's 4172; thence with a line of the same N. 29 W. about 198 poles to a stake standing 90 poles; S. 27 E. from a large white oak on the big road; thence on a direct line to a stake standing 90 poles S. 7 E. from three black oaks, corner to Wm. Wilson's land on the big road; thence with Wilson's S. 7 E. 86 poles to two white oaks; thence again with Wilson's S. 21 E. 32 poles to a chestnut; thence S. 41 E. 52 poles to two hickories and dogwood on a branch; thence S. 24 1/2 E. 58 poles to a black oak; thence S. 65 1/2 W. 26 poles to a maple and black oak; thence S. 24 1/2 E. 34 poles to a stone; thence S. 65 1/2 W. to a sugar tree; thence S. 24 1/2 E. 30 poles to the beginning, containing 325 acres, more or less, and recorded in deed book 13, page 113.

Excepting 30 acres sold to John Dobbis and 126 acres sold off of said tract by order of the Ohio Circuit Court to Monroe and lying on the south side of the Illinois Central Railroad, leaving 169 acres, more or less, ordered sold by this order.

Tract No. 2. About 40 acres of land situated in Ohio County, Ky., and bounded as follows: On the north by a dirt road leading from Horton to Rosine; on the east by the lands of Ansel Wilson, on the south by the I. C. Railroad and on the west by the lands of Mrs. Snell, being a portion of the William Wilson farm and conveyed to Mrs. Ansel Wilson by Susan E. Wilson, et al. on January 27, 1900, and of record in deed book 22, page 567, Ohio County Clerk's office.

And it is expressly understood that the 9-16 acres set out and described in answer of Mary Wilson Bennett and Mary Wilson Bennett guardian for Ansel Wilson, is not included in the land ordered sold herein. The purchaser will be required to

execute bond immediately after sale with security approved by the Commissioner, due and payable in six and twelve months and a lien will be retained as additional security.

Given under my hand as Commissioner of the Ohio Circuit Court this 16th day of December, 1918.

OTTO C. MARTIN, Master Commissioner.

M. L. Heavrin, J. S. Glenn, Attorneys.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Ohio Circuit Court.

L. L. Arbuckle, etc., Plaintiff.

VS.

W. A. Evans, etc., Defendant.

By virtue of judgment and order of sale directed to me by the Ohio Circuit Court at its November term, 1918, in the above styled action for the purpose of a sale and division of the proceeds, I will offer for sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder on a credit of six months at the Court House door in Hartford, Kentucky, on Monday, January, 6th, 1919, it being the first day of the regular term of the Ohio Circuit Court, at about the hour of one o'clock, P. M., the following described real estate located near Beaver Dam, in Ohio County, Kentucky:

Certain lots in the Sowder's addition to the town of Beaver Dam, Ky., together with all the improvements thereon, and described as follows: viz: Being lot No. 6, Block O, on East side of Main Street, being fifty feet front and one hundred and seventy five feet deep.

Also lot No. 17 fronting on Sowder's street, in Block O, said lot being fifty feet front and one hundred and seventy five feet deep to an alley. A plot of said lots is on a file in the County Clerk's office of Ohio County, Ky., and being same property deeded to N. F. Arbuckle, deceased, by Ira Arbuckle and Annie Arbuckle, his wife, on April 7th, 1908, and shown by deed recorded in Deed Book No. 32, page 559, Ohio County Clerk's office.

The purchaser will be required to execute bond with security to be approved by the Commissioner, payable in six months and a lien will be retained on the property sold as an additional security.

Given under my hand as Commissioner of the Ohio Circuit Court this 14th day of December, 1918.

OTTO C. MARTIN, Master Commissioner.

C. M. Crowe, Attorney.

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TELEPHONES.

Cumberland 123
Farmers Mutual 59

FRIDAY DECEMBER 20

Open the churches and Sunday
schools Sunday. No danger of
crowding in Hartford churches.

To our patrons and friends, and to
our enemies if we have any, we ex-
tend hearty Christmas greetings.

If you have not already joined the
Red Cross do it now. The war in-
deed is over, but our boys are still in
a strange land and need the gener-
ous help of the Red Cross.

Trouble is reported to be brewing
in Mexico again. While Uncle Sam
has his army in trim he ought to
march down and whip 'em out of the
Mexicans, and be done with it.

Burlesques make no better job
managing the telephone than the
postoffice department. We rarely try
to use the local telephone system if
we have time to write a letter, or
walk and take the message.

After American daddies have spent
millions providing foreign titled hus-
bands for their daughters it is a
shame to have those perfectly lovely
titles spoiled by the kingdoms and
empires of Europe turning Repub-
lics.

In a four column statement an-
nouncing his candidacy for governor
Lieut. Governor Black says he has
always been a consistent prohibition-
ist, but harbors no ill spirit against
the liquor business. The Lieut. is
setting his traps to catch 'em gwynne
and a comin'.

Just as soon as the ban on free
speech is lifted we want to ask that a
catalogue be made of all the jack-
asses, in the Federal service, who
were invested with authority to give
autocratic orders to the American
people about their individual actions,
habits and customs.

Many newspapers are commenting
upon the assumed impossibility of se-
curing a jury, in the event the ex-
Kaiser was brought to trial—one pa-
per suggesting the necessity of sum-
moning a venire of ten million men.
We have no patience with such an
indictment of the integrity of man-
kind. We believe we could select a
jury of twelve Hartford citizens who
could bring in a verdict based solely
upon the law and the facts.

One result, and a far reaching re-
sult, of the war will be the larger
voice the working people will have
in the matter of government. By or
through some strange law of the hu-
man mind, by which co-operation
without previous agreement is pos-
sible, the workmen of all the coun-
tries of the world are demanding
a larger voice in their governments.
Some friction is going to result in
making the new alignment, but the
problem will work itself out. The in-
equality of the distribution of wealth
has not been unknown to the work-
ing classes, but they wanted the way
to correct it. The war has clearly
shown how, in times of distress, the
government must rely upon its indi-
vidual members, and in this way has
taught the people the potency of their
power. The great conflict has not
only made the nations, but the mul-
titudes, more democratic.

The Fiscal court will be called upon
soon to adopt some road-working
system for the next year. We have
no plans to offer, but the present sys-
tem is archaic, antiquated and inef-
fective. If the court has no better
plans in view we suggest it appoint
a committee of its members to in-
quire into the best systems in use in
our neighboring counties. It is no
excuse to say that we can do no bet-
ter with the limited fund at the com-

mand of the court. Other counties
with no more funds have better roads,
and it is worth while to inquire how
they accomplish it. The highest
court in the state has ruled that the
Magistrate can not collect pay for
acting as road commissioner, and it is
not improbable, if the present manner
of handling road funds is continued,
that some citizen may invoke the
statute against it. Our road system
has too many heads. The war in Eu-
rope was not won until all the allied
armies were placed in the hands of
a single command. The same prin-
ciple should be applied in our road
work. The work of the present Fis-
cal court has been, in the main, high-
ly commendable, but the handling of
the roads has been an inexcusable
bungle. Every successful business
has a single manager, who is trained
for his service, and our road man-
agement should be put upon the same
business basis.

HARTFORD BOY MARRIES.

Mr. Henry Griffin and Miss Cath-
arine Helen Bell were married at the
parsonage of the First Baptist church
in Owensboro, Saturday. Rev.
Boone, pastor of the church, officiat-
ed. Mr. Griffin is a son of Mrs. T.
L. Griffin, of Hartford, and is a pros-
perous farmer, of Ensor, in Daivess
county. Miss Bell's home was also
at Ensor.

RECENT LAND SALES.

The records of the Ohio County
Clerk's office show the following land
deals have been recently made.
H. W. Taylor, Beaver Dam, to L.
C. Leach, 95 acres, \$3,000.
L. C. Leach, Beaver Dam, to V. T.
Hunt 91 acres, \$2,500.
Tilford Aldridge, Beda, to H. Will
Taylor, 106 acres, \$5,500.
Anna J. Gibbs, Rockport, to Louis-
ville Gass and Electric Co., 1 town
lot, \$1,700.
Rollie Westerfield, Hartford Route
6, to John D. Goins, 67 acres, \$1,220.
Lonnie Parks, Hartford, to John
D. Goins, 67 acres, \$1,220.
Jas. H. Thomas, Hartford, to Hol-
land Shown, 113 acres, \$3,800.
Joe Ford, Hartford, to Jas. H.
Thomas, 113 acres, \$2,000.
Adelia Moore, Hartford, to W. F.
Acton one town lot, \$2,000.
Arthur Westerfield, Fordsville, to
Mattie Pollard, one town lot, \$400.
Rossie N. Taylor, Hartford Route
6, to R. T. Taylor, 57 acres, \$750.
Holland Shown, Hartford, to Law-
rence Bunker, 130 acres, \$2,500.
J. H. Kuykendoll, Noeek, to H.
W. Haynes 151 acres, \$8,000.
G. T. Tucker, Rosine, to B. D. Lei-
sure, 60 acres, \$400.

BEAVER DAM.

Miss Lilian Hurt, who has been in
Evansville, Ind., has returned home.
Messrs Wilson Taylor and Hamil-
ton Render, who have been attending
the Military school in Russellville,
Ky., have returned home.
Mesdames J. O. McKinney, E. R.
Taylor and M. D. Hudson were in
Louisville the first of the week.
Mrs. Harley Quinn and children, of
Louisville, Ky., are visiting Mrs.
Quinn's mother, Mrs. Nettie Chauvan.
Mr. Ion Crowe, of Central City,
was in town the first of the week.
Mr. Lee Stevens, who has been in
Detroit, Mich., has returned here.
Mrs. Clent Horn and sister, Miss
Loureen Stevens, are the guests of
relatives.
Mrs. Ben Thomas died at her home
Sunday night and was buried in Beth-
el Cemetery.
Mr. Joda Railey and Mr. Delmar
Mosley left Wednesday for Los An-
geles, Cal.
Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Martin are re-
ceiving congratulations over the birth
of twin sons.
Mrs. Henry Cummins died at her
home Sunday night of paralysis.
Mr. Everett Taylor, former post-
master here, died at his home in Illi-
nois, Saturday. His remains were
brought here for burial and buried
in Sunnydale cemetery. He is surviv-
ed by his wife and two sons.
Mrs. Minerva Taylor, of West
Frankfort, Ill., is visiting relatives
here.

MAGAN.

The fine tobacco season last week
has put the farmers busy delivering
tobacco.
Two boys from this community,
Dudley Evans, son of Dozier Evans,
and Douglas Taylor, son of Mrs. Nan-
cy Taylor, have been killed in France.
Arthur Whitehouse and Wilbur
Roach have gone to Owensboro on
business.
Mr. J. W. Westerfield and wife
went to Louisville Sunday, to visit
their son, who was wounded in
France, but who is now in camp Tay-
lor.
Vernon Baughn has been mustered
out of the military service and has
returned home.
Mrs. Sallie Greer is visiting her
daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Taylor, in
Owensboro.
Mrs. M. R. Muffett has received
notice that her nephew, Weslie Daniel,
has been wounded in France.
Heber Midkiff and family visited
Willie Muffett and family Sunday.

BEADS ODDLY STRUNG.

By I. D. Claire.

So many of the boys is away in the
army that Tinsley is organizin' a mar-
ried mens' club to give all the girls a
Christmas present. I don't say
whether I am a member of it or not,
cause the goodest woman in the
world keeps a watch on this stuff.

Battle Nall's Wife Wanted ad has
made my reputation if it did ruin
Bat's. Six big magazines has already
ast me to take a job as ad writer.

I feel sorry for Tinsley, cause he'll
have to stick aroun' this dry-as-dust
old town all endurin' Christmas, and
me in Louisville. And this is goin'
to be the last Christmas before the
nation-wide goes into effect, too.

When the soldier boys gits back
they may do a good deal of marryin',
but the boys that stayed at home are
pretty well stocked up with wives.
Most of 'em married to keep from
goin' to war.

It is mighty onhandy not to have a
5 and 10 cent store in town when it
comes time to give Christmas
presents.

The Miss Mills that operates our
linotype, don't want to marry. We're
givin' her this free ad cause we don't
want to loose her from the shop.

Me and Tinsley have entered into
an agreement that when our men
friends goes to Owensboro or Louis-
ville and don't bring us nothin' we
won't mention their trip in the paper.

Wouldn't it be funny if the preach-
ers was to form a "Combine" like the
doctors, and refuse to marry people
who was behind with their former
marryin' fees.

The Ohio County Drug Company
has an assortment of talkin' ma-
chines.

MULE STOLEN.

Stolen from my barn, near Sunny-
dale, Saturday night, November 14,
one red sorrel mule, fifteen and a
half hands high, four years old, large
head and dim white spot on hip.
Barefooted when stolen and had not
been recently sheared. Will pay for
trouble of furnishing information
that will lead to the recovery of the
animal. The state pays fifty dollars
reward for capture of a mule thief.
Notify MARY E. WILSON,
11-p
Narrows, Ky., Route 2.

CENTERTOWN.

Alford James and Miss Henrietta
Wood were married at the home of
Rev. L. W. Tichenor, last Friday.
Isaac Ashby, who has been station-
ed at Ft. Benjamin Harrison for
some time, is at home.
Orlando Bolton came home Friday,
from Camp Zachary Taylor.
Rev. J. J. Willet, of Owensboro,
was in our midst a few days this
week.
Miss Nola Tate is visiting her pa-
rents, at Leitchfield.
Mr. J. H. Hill, who has been very
low for some time with typhoid, is
improving slowly.
Miss Bertie Mae Stevens spent Mon-
day with her sister, at Kimbly.
The "flu" situation does not seem
to be improving much at this place.
There are several cases at this time.

NOTICE TO SCHOOL TRUSTEES.

Since the "influenza" has kept our
schools closed so long there will be
a great deal of coal left over in each
district. I wish to advise each trust-
ee to sell the surplus coal and return
the proceeds to the County Board of
Education. We think that in this
way we can save enough to go a long
way in furnishing our schools next
year.

E. S. HOWARD, S. S. O. C.

DUKEHURST.

No influenza in this community at
present.
A few farmers have delivered their
tobacco to Owensboro recently.
Mr. Joe T. Snell is on the sick list.
Mr. Willie Hardin was in Owens-
boro the first of the week.
Miss Golda Baughn, of Adaburg,
spent last week with her cousins,
Misses Vera and Tina Midkiff.
Roger York, of Camp Taylor, has
been mustered out of the service, and
has returned home.
Misses H. Berry and Lena Combs
went to Hartford, shopping, Monday.
Mrs. J. D. Miller and little son
pent from Sunday until Tuesday with
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller, of Magan.
Mr. Cornell, of Willow, West Va.,
is spending the winter with his son,
Mr. W. F. Cornell.
Mr. and Mrs. Ronda Lake, of Clear
Run, are the proud parents of a baby
girl, christened, Bessie Ernestine.

CLEAR RUN.

Some of the farmers are delivering
their tobacco and others are holding
it for higher prices. Not many farm-
ers are returning from market very

BEST STOCK of CHRISTMAS GIFTS IN TOWN

Join The Eager Shoppers

WHO THROG THE STORE—MAKING READY FOR THE
GREATEST CHRISTMAS THE WORLD HAS EVER KNOWN

Our stock in Ivory Goods is complete—Mirrors, Nail Files, Buffers, Puff
Boxes, Hair Receivers, Hair, Hat and Cloth Brushes, Box and Roll-up Mani-
cure Sets from \$1.50 to \$15.00. Comb, Brush and Mirror Sets from \$3.50 to
\$25.00.

Ivory Clocks, inlaid designs—Ingersoll Watches—a large assortment.
Shaving Sets \$1.50 to \$2.50. Shaving Mugs, Cigarette Cases, Xmas
Cards, and Seals, Xmas Books for old and young.

Excellent Line of Babies' and Infants' Toys and Dolls

the best assortment in town. Rocking Horses, Carts and Animal Toys in
abundance.

Our Christmas assortment of TOILET WATERS AND PERFUMES in all
the superior odors, was never more complete.

We are headquarters for BOX PAPERS at prices from 15 cents to \$1.25.

We have a complete line of—

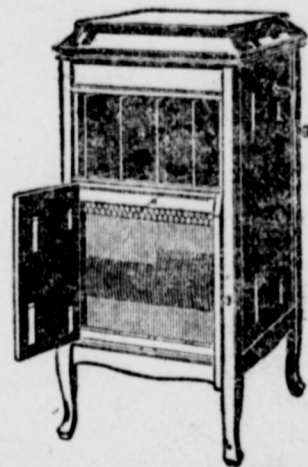
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demonstrated.

We have many other appropriate Xmas gifts too numerous to mention.
Our prices are all right. We invite your inspection and patronage.

OHIO COUNTY DRUG CO.

Incorporated.
HARTFORD, KENTUCKY.



well satisfied, while some are satis-
fied with prices received.

Mrs. Emma Kissinger is very sick.
Mr. Clyde Funk has been mustered
out of the military service, at Camp
Taylor, and has returned home.

Mrs. Cassie Peach and little daugh-
ter, Louella, who have been visiting
relatives here, have gone to Hartford
to be the guests of Mrs. Oscar Wade
for a few days. Mrs. Peach has been
in Oregon for the past two years.

Miss Katie Hickey, of Bells Run,
visited Mrs. Maude Trogen Saturday
and Sunday.

Mr. Hardin Chapman has received
notice that his son, Everett, has been
severely wounded in France.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, It has been the pleasure
of Almighty God, in His undeniable
and infinite wisdom, to call our be-
loved Brother, Delmer Stewart, who
departed this life on the 5th. day of
Oct., 1918, at 2:30 P. M. at his resi-
dence in the village of Cromwell, Ky.,
therefore be it

Resolved, That this Lodge extend
to our beloved Brother it's sincere
and heart-felt thanks for the unceas-
ing and untiring efforts which he has
nobly put forth in the maintenance
of this lodge.

Brother Stewart was born in Ohio
County, Ky., on Jan. 4th., 1891 and
his body was laid to rest in the Green
River Cemetery on the 6th day of
Oct., 1918.

He was raised to the sublime de-
gree of Master Mason Nov. 16, 1912.
He was elected Senior Warden
1913, Master in 1914, Secretary in
1916, which office he held till the
time of his death.

Therefore be it resolved, That this
Lodge has lost the most efficient Sec-
retary, it had ever elected for that
office, a true and worthy Brother
whom we all had learned to love and
respect, his family a kind and in-
dulgent husband and father, his
parents an honest and obedient son,
and the community a citizen whose
unselfishness and pleasant disposition
will never be forgotten.

In civil life he had held many posi-
tions of honor and trust; Cashier of
the Cromwell Deposit Bank, and
partner with his father, J. J. Stewart,

and the various stations held in our
Lodge were discharged with honor
and credit.

Be it further resolved, That we do
by these presents desire to convey in
unmistakable language, our genuine
friendship for all that he has
done for Cromwell Lodge No. 692,
Cromwell, Ky., and the community
in which he lived.

Resolved, That a copy of these res-

olutions be spread on our minutes,
given to Mrs. Delmer Stewart and a
copy sent to the Masonic Home Jour-
nal and the two-county papers for
publication.

Respectfully submitted,
DR. OSCAR ALLEN,
R. C. RAINS,
CLARENCE JAMES,
Committee.

Unanimously adopted Dec., 8th, 1918.

Santa Claus Is Coming Soon!

We are preparing for Santa Claus to visit every
home Christmas. We are looking for Santa in our
store. We have a large supply of staple and fancy
Holiday Merchandise for Santa's inspection and we
are going to do our best to help Santa Claus load up.
Below we make mention of some articles that we are
calling to his attention.

FURNITURE.

Three piece Davenport Suits, Buffets, Chif-
ferobes, Dining Tables, Kitchen Cabinets, Dressers,
Beds, Chairs, Rockers, Children's High Chairs, and
Rockers.

CHRISTMAS CHINA.

All kinds of China Ware, Glass Ware, Knives
and Forks, Spoons, Salads, Cake Plates, Sugars,
Creams, Celery's, Glass Pitchers, Tumblers, Nappies,
and every thing in regular table and fancy China.

CHRISTMAS DINNER.

All kinds of Fruits, Nuts, Candies, Celery, Cran-
berries, Oranges, Apples, Grapes, Citron and Orange
Peels, Staple and Fancy Canned Goods—anything
required to make a good Christmas dinner.

ACTON BROS.

HARTFORD, KENTUCKY.

Xmas at Fair's Store!

Our store as usual has made special arrangements with Santa Claus for his entire output of presents for both the older people and children. You can come to our store and trade with the assurance that your very need will be supplied.

TOY DEPARTMENT

All toys will be found on our second floor. Come and bring the "kids." Our line contains the best the market affords. You will find a corps of competent salesladies to show you every attention.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT

This department is brim full of gifts that are NEW, PRETTY AND USEFUL, such as Handkerchiefs, Furs, Coats and Coat Suits, Silk Hosiery, Collars, Wool Toques, Skating Sets, Sweater Coats, Silk Underwear, Silk Skirts, Bath Robes, House Slippers, Towels, Wash Rags, Table Linens, Napkins, etc.

MEN'S DEPARTMENT

Never was this department in better condition. Don't slight the men. They are easy pleased. Just Socks, Ties, Plain and Initial Handkerchiefs, plain or bordered, Wool or Silk Muffler, Fancy Collars, Tie Pins, Silk Skirts, late style hat or cap, New Suit, Hand Bag, Shaving Set, House Slippers, Gloves, Etc. Sure, any of the above will suit. Competent salesmen to wait on you, and to suggest the needs of men. What more can we add; simply this: COME, and we will show you how it pays to trade with a house that saves you money.

FAIR & CO.
THE FAIR DEALERS

The Hartford Republican

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20

M. H. & E. R. R. TIME TABLE.
South Bound, No. 115—
Due at Hartford.....9:05 a. m.
North Bound, No. 114—
Due at Hartford.....6:45 p. m.
(Both "Mixed" Trains.)

Personal News and Social Events.

Men's Scarfs at Fair's.

Xmas table linen and napkins at Fair's.

Mr. M. L. Heavrin was in Louisville Tuesday.

See Fair's Christmas silk hose for Ladies and Gentlemen.

Mr. Lee Mason, of Centertown, called on us Wednesday.

Big line of Men's and Ladies' Sweater Coats at Fair's.

Only six more days for Xmas shopping. See Fair's for presents.

Get that nice piece of furniture for Christmas from ACTON BROS.

Mr. W. H. Miller, of Fordsville, was among our visitors, Wednesday.

4 and 6 inch drain tile, and 24 inch well tile.

234 W. E. ELLIS & Bro.

New store—every article in stock absolutely new.

W. H. BAIZE.

Mr. W. L. Wedding, of Fordsville, called on us while in town Wednesday.

Rev. T. J. Acton, of Olaton Route 1, was among our visitors Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Duff, of Dundee, were in Louisville, a few days this week.

Mixed nuts, highest quality, and the best line of fruit in town.

J. A. TATE.

Xmas House Slippers at Fair's.

Mr. I. S. Mason was in town a couple of days this week.

County Attorney, A. D. Kirk attended Esquire Rice's court, at Fordsville, Saturday.

Mr. J. H. Thomas will go to Louisville Wednesday to spend the holidays with his family.

If you want something good buy some of Libbies Sour Krout at ACTON BROS.

High grade line of box and mixed candy on sale at J. A. TATE'S restaurant.

For quality try my line of Diamond Island groceries. None better. W. H. BAIZE.

Rabbit season is now open, will pay the highest market price, cash. 2044. W. E. ELLIS & Bro.

The best place to get Cups, Saucers, Plates, Salads, Pitchers, Glassware and Lamps is at ACTON BROS.

Mr. Byron Foster, of Atlanta, Ga., will arrive here tomorrow to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Isaac Foster.

Mr. E. G. Austin, of Prentiss, has sold his farm to Mr. R. L. Simmons, and will probably move to Hartford for the winter.

Go to W. H. BAIZE, next door to Bank of Hartford, for Ladies' and gents' Silk Hose, Scarfs, Handkerchiefs and etc.

Harry Crumes, son of Mr. Charlie Crumes, of Rosine, was among those recently reported as having been severely wounded, in France.

Everyone that is in need of a Cooking Stove is in need of a good one and that is the kind we have—those biscuit browners. ACTON BROS.

Mr. Isaac Foster, who is doing construction work for a mining company in Muhlenburg county, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his family here.

Luella Kahn and Frank Hines (colored) were married in Hat Friday. Luella was formerly the helpmeet of Walk Kahn, but was recently divorced.

In making your Christmas gifts include a year's subscription to the Republican to some friend who would appreciate it. Others do it. Why not you?

We have several large shipments of oranges, apples, grapefruit, coconuts, raisins, figs, dates and nuts of all kinds for your Christmas basket. ILLER'S Grocery.

Mrs. Tice Burns and Miss Ruth Leitchfield went to Owensboro Wednesday. They will also visit Mrs. Burns' parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. S. Petty, before returning to Hartford.

J. C. Iler has many new books ordered, both for sale and for his circulating library. A membership to this library would be a fine Christmas gift to one of your friends.

Our correspondents seem to have slowed down in action. It is disappointing. If you are out of supplies notify us; don't quit. The country letters are the best feature of a country newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Felix are grandparents. A boy was recently born to their daughter, Mrs. C. B. Kuskern, in Boston, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Felix were visiting their daughter when C. B. Jr. was born.

Coffee has gone to an enormous price, but we have several thousand pounds on hand. It will pay you to put in an early order and avoid the rush. ILLER'S Grocery.

We are reminding you again that the yellow slip on your paper is not only for the purpose of effecting delivery, but a weekly notice of the expiration of your subscription. And if your time has expired it is an invitation to you to pay up.

Esquire John M. Graham, of Narrows, called on us Monday. Mr. Graham is caring for the twin children of Justice Matthews, who with his wife, is an inmate of the Alms-house, and Mr. Graham had brought the children in to visit their parents.

Capt. E. B. Pendleton, of the Medical Corps, stationed at Camp Greenleaf, Ga., came home Tuesday on a ten days furlough. Capt. Pendleton expects to be mustered out of the service soon, and says he will be glad to get back to his "Old home town" again.

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Mr. Ed Barrass went to Owensboro Monday and returned Tuesday. Ed made the trip by road wagon and came back sore—very sore.

After recovering from an attack of the flu, Mr. O. D. Carson has returned to Reeds, in Daviess County, where he has a position with the A. C. A.

Coffee is out of sight but we still have some of the best at the old prices. Come at once and avoid the rush. R. L. DEEVER & Co.

Mr. Stanley Matthews, formerly of Fordsville, but more recently of Owensboro, and Miss Ida Morris, were married in Owensboro Saturday.

Effie May Boyd, the fifteen year old daughter of Mr. Billie Boyd, of Centertown, died of influenza Wednesday morning. Mr. Boyd is a merchant at Centertown.

The school teachers are to have a Christmas gift coming. The State Superintendent mailed out checks yesterday to cover the teachers' pay to date. It will be welcome.

We have four large shipments of candy, including Lowney's famous box goods, that will be here in plenty of time for your Christmas shopping. ILLER'S Grocery.

Fresh Oysters, Cranberries and Celery will begin coming to us this week and will continue to come all during the Holidays. You can secure these articles at any time by coming to us. J. A. TATE.

Dr. M. R. Taylor, of Louisville, has located at Beaver Dam for the practice of dentistry, and will appreciate the patronage of the public. Dr. Taylor is a son of Mr. Don Taylor, and is wellknown at Beaver Dam and throughout the county.

Mr. Romney Duff, of Dundee, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Duff has just returned from Pittsburgh, and says he saw lots of snow and ice in Pennsylvania. Mr. Duff went to Louisville yesterday, where he will enter the transportation service of the I. C. Railroad Company.

Mr. H. Will Taylor, of Bald Knob, bought a farm from Tilford Aldridge, near Bada, for which he paid \$5,500. Mr. Aldridge bought the farm four years ago for \$3,000. This, along with many other recent land deals, illustrates the big increase in land values in the past few years.

Mr. Clay Vinson, of Owensboro, and Miss Isabelle Flicker, of Evansville, were married at the Trintinty Methodist church, in Evansville, Monday. Mr. Vinson is a son of Mr. J. T. Vinson, merchant of Beaver Dam. Mrs. J. T. Vinson and sons, Charles and Virgil, were present at the wedding.

Schuyler Acton and his son, Romney, of Sulphur Springs, demonstrated the profit to be made with proper care of sheep, in their experience this season. They had in the spring eleven ewes and one buck. The ewes dropped 15 lambs. By forced feeding of the lambs and proper care of the flock, they sold the lambs and wool for \$226.

The Hawesville Plaindealer says: "Mrs. Joe Lamastus, of Lower Bottom, delivered to the local market in one day \$55.36 worth of chickens." Mrs. Lamastus was formerly Miss Lois Martin, of Rosine, and if we were not afraid the goodest woman in the world, and Joe, would see this, we would say she was, so many years ago, our old sweetheart. Plaindealer will please not copy.

W. S. Tinsley who, when not fishing or hunting at the mouth of Grassy Creek, is associated with the running of this paper, and "Oldtimer," alias, John Glenn, left several days ago, on the Angler, for said creek; since which time no news of their conduct or whereabouts has been received by their enemies here. We have some suspicions as to both, but are too charitable to express them.

Capt. and Mrs. Z. H. Shults arrived in Hartford, Saturday, from Camp Greenleaf, Ga., where the doctor was in the medical corps of the military service. Capt. Shults has been mustered out of the service. He was formerly of Pleasant Ridge, but sold his property there before entering the military service. He has not decided on a location yet, but will probably practice at some point in Daviess county.

The Kaiser Has Had A Good Licking

Now we can turn our attention to something else. About the next thing of any importance is Christmas; and it is not a bit too early to begin looking for that present. Goods of all kinds are very scarce, but we began buying early, here and there, so we are in a position to show you a splendid line of

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Worth Tichenor is a new type of jailer. No sooner than he locks the prisoner in he begins an effort to procure bond for the unfortunate fellow, or implores the court to turn him out on his own promise to return when wanted. Most Jailers want the fee for the keep, but Worth, in the goodness of his heart, turns advocate for the prisoner's liberty. Indeed it is said that on one occasion, at least, he furnished a liberated prisoner with a horse to ride home.

Mrs. Henry Smith, of Prentiss, has received a letter from her husband, Dr. Henry Smith, at Bordeaux, France, saying that his name was on the sailing list for the United States, and that he was expecting sailing orders any time. Dr. Smith has had eight months service in the United States Army Medical corps, in France, and was, we believe, the first Ohio county physician sent to France, and the only one stationed there. Mrs. Smith expects the Doctor home as a New Years present.

Prof. Henry Leach will leave the 26 inst. for Arkansas, where he has accepted the Principalship of the Weiner High School, for the Spring term. The former principal was elected County School Superintendent of his county last fall, and retires from teaching to assume the duties of his office. Prof. Leach is a former Superintendent of Ohio County schools, and formerly taught in the

Hartford High School. We can heartily recommend Prof. Leach to the people of Weiner, as a high class citizen, a cultured gentleman and a capable educator.

NOTICE.

I have located in Beaver Dam for the practice of dentistry, and shall gratefully appreciate the patronage of the public. Call on me at the A. D. Taylor property. 254 M. R. TAYLOR, D. D. S.

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Farm Department

Feed Dry Roughage First Then Silage

Before starting to feed silage to beef cattle this winter, a careful estimate of the total amount on hand should be made, as it is not good practice to feed silage in such a way as to exhaust the supply and be compelled to feed dry roughage following the silage before turning to pasture in the spring. If a shortage is anticipated there are two ways to meet the situation—either feed dry roughages altogether for a time at the beginning and keep the silage until the latter part of the feeding period, or feed a small amount of silage and other roughage throughout the winter.

Sufficient silage and other roughages should be provided so as to begin feeding the cattle by the 1st of January at least, and to last until the 1st to the 15th of April. This later date is suggested so as to keep the animals off the grass in the spring and protect the pasture as long as possible. Best results from feeding silage are obtained when some dry roughage is fed along with it. Unless legume hays are used a small amount of cotton seed meal, one-half to one pound, should be used.

Protect Beef Cattle In Winter.

During the winter the beef steers should be kept in a dry lot and provided with a windbreak from the north or given free access to an open shed. In some sections of the South whether conditions alone may justify weather conditions alone may not justify open sheds, but when the saving of feed and manure and the protection of pastures from tramping in wet weather are considered, such sheds will prove to be profitable investments. Breeding animals may require even more protection during severe weather than an open shed would provide.

Eggs saved for hatching should not be subjected to high or low temperatures. Best results are usually obtained by keeping them in a moderately cool place, about 50 degrees F. It is not advisable to hold hatching eggs longer than 10 days or two weeks.

February, March, and April are the best months for hatching.

Importance of securing the greatest possible return from the manure supply can hardly be overestimated. It is infinitely greater when the production of food is vital to the Nation.

In New York waterfowl may not now be taken with a rifle in the forest preserve counties or on Long Island. New Jersey has made it unlawful to hunt from an automobile, or by the aid of lights carried thereon. An act of the Virginia Legislature imposes on game wardens the duty of killing dogs found destroying sheep. Rhode Island has made a distinct advance in game protection by prescribing for the first time a bag limit of not more than 15 game birds in possession.

The Federal migratory bird treaty act regulations permit the possession of migratory birds during the open season and the first 10 days following the close of the season.

Save Seed And Trouble.

If seed grain for sowing next spring has not yet been saved, it should be done at once, for it is hard to find good seed after most of the crop has been hauled to town and sold. A good fanning mill is a great help. If your own seed has become badly mixed, hunt up at once a neighbor who has pure seed.

It is best to stick to the old and well-known varieties. Beware of the man who wants you to buy a new variety at an enormous price. If the crop specialists in your State or in the Department of Agriculture have been recommending varieties especially adapted to your conditions, locate some seed. Ask your county agent, or your State extension director, or the United States Department of Agriculture about the varieties and where to get them.

Be sure that the male at the head of the flock is purebred.

Purebred poultry means uniformity of products. Uniformity of products means increased profits, if products are properly marketed.

Given the same care and feed, pure bred fowls make a greater profit than mongrels.

Look After The Seed Supply.

The important part the use of improved seeds of all farm crops has played on the quality and yield has been fully established by numerous experiments and demonstrations in recent years. In many instances the increases due to the use of good seed have been very striking. There will, no doubt, be a scarcity of high-grade seeds of several staple crops next season. For this reason it is worth while to call the attention of every farmer to the necessity of selecting and properly storing a

sufficient supply for home use of every kind of seed available. After deciding what crops are to be planted next year, the farmer will do well to locate and purchase seeds now, unless he has them of his own growing. Failure to order now may result in getting only inferior seeds, as the dealer usually fills early orders with the best.

Does The Horse Lie Down?

One occasionally sees the statement that horses seldom, if ever, lie down. That there are horses whose caretakers have never seen them resting in that way we do not question, because we have heard it from stablemen who have carefully observed them. But no one who knows anything about horses, and who has seen them stretched out at full length in pastures and in stalls, and who has noticed the unmistakable evidences on the horses themselves in the morning of having lain down, will credit the assertion. Many a horse is doubtless too sensible to lie down on a rough, filthy, unbedded floor, but give him a comfortable, well-bedded stall, and not only will he lie down but repay his owner with better service and more years of service and more years of usefulness because of the more perfect rest thus obtained.

What Destroyed The Sheep Industry?

The National Humane Review says: "The dog has earned his keep in dollars and cents, a hundred times over. And yet, ungrateful persons and foolish doctrinaires would like to destroy the dog on the pretext of reviving the sheep industry, when it is well known that the sheep industry in the United States was destroyed because of international competition, by the cheap wool of Australia, where labor is \$6 a month and land is worth \$5 an acre and Americans have better paying crops at home. Oh, the folly of it! The stupidity of it! The heartlessness and insincerity of it! These silly people will not win in this bloody crusade. The heart and morality of the world is too big to sanction a wholesale butchery of this kind, which is opposed by truth, common sense and loyalty."

Average wheat prices in the last year, as estimated by the Bureau of Crop Estimates and excluding States producing less than 1,000,000 bushels ranged from \$1.83 a bushel in Utah to \$2.66 in South Carolina.

Consumption Of Wool Increased.

An increase in consumption of approximately 1,700,000 pounds of wool, grease equivalent, is shown for the month of October, 1918, over consumption during September; the October utilization being 60,000,000 pounds, grease equivalent, as against 58,300,000 pounds used during September. This report is made by the Bureau of Markets, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Stocks of wool consumed during October, in pounds, by classes, as given by the bureau, were: Grease, 36,165,727; scoured, 10,817,372. This report shows Massachusetts as being the largest consumer, followed in order by Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Rhode Island, New York, New Hampshire, Connecticut, Ohio and Maine.

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CLEAR RUN.

A fine stripping season is on and the farmers are busy stripping tobacco.

Mr. Glenn Stewart has sold his property on Clear Run, to Thomas Murray.

Mrs. Cassie Peach, of Oregon, is visiting relatives here.

Rev. Birch Shields preached at the Clear Run Baptist church Saturday. He delivered an interesting sermon, after which he was re-elected pastor for the coming year.

Mrs. Jessie Hoagland has moved into the house with her parents and will stay with them until her husband regains his health and returns home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Johnson and family are visiting at Mr. Dave Havenor's, in the Barnetts Creek vicinity.

Mrs. Oscar Wade, of Hartford, is spending a few days with relatives here.

Mr. Mosby Hoover, of Philpot, visited his father, Mr. Clifton Hoover, Sunday.

CERALVO.

Eddie C. Junior, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Heflin, died Nov. 30 of pneumonia following influenza, and was buried here the following day, after services conducted at the home, by Rev. R. W. Danks. Mr. Rob Bennett and Mr. Dan

Casebier, of Paradise, were in our midst recently.

Miss Marguerite Brown, of Centertown, spent Thursday with Miss Myrl Kimmel.

Mr. J. H. Ward, who has been living near here, has moved to Central City.

Mrs. Mattie Wood visited her aunt, Miss Manda Wade, of Centertown, one day last week.

Mr. Orville and Edward Casebier, of Paradise, visited their cousin, Mr. L. A. Kimmel, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Heflin, of Providence, and Mr. Hubert Bishop and sister, Nellie, of Kronos, attended the burial of little Junior Heflin last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wood, spent Sunday with Mrs. Wood's father, Mr. P. R. Robertson, of Echols.

Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Danks, of Nelson, visited Mrs. Danks' mother, Mrs. W. D. Barnard, one day last week.

Mr. Ray Hocker, of Centertown, spent last Sunday with Mr. Earl Carter.

Mrs. Silas Brown, of Kimbley Mines, and Mrs. Henry Bishop, of Kronos, spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Heflin.

Mr. Ray Kimmel and sisters, Misses Myrl and Nova, visited their cousin, Mr. George Casebier, and family, of Paradise, from Friday until Sunday.

Stomach Trouble.

"Before I used Chamberlain's Tablets I doctored a great deal for stomach trouble and felt nervous and tired all the time. These tablets helped me from the first, and inside of a week's time I had improved in every way," writes Mrs. L. A. Drinkard, Jefferson City, Mo.

HEALTH AUTHORITIES GIVE PREVENTION RULES.

The State Board of health has given out the following rules to govern the public as a prevention against influenza:

1. Keep away from crowds of all kinds.
2. Keep out of the sick room and away from houses with sickness, unless your services are needed. Keep clean and wear a mask if you do go.
3. Walk to your place of business if possible—avoid crowded cars.
4. Cover your cough or sneeze and keep away from people who do not.
5. Keep away from dirty eating and soft drink houses.
6. Open your windows at night, adding extra bedding if necessary.
7. Call a physician if you or your family show any signs of sickness.
8. After influenza stay in bed until your doctor advises you to get up.
9. Do not handle anything from the sick room until it has been boiled.
10. Have and do little visiting until this epidemic is over.
11. Cordially cooperate with your Health Officer and Physician in preventing the spread of influenza.

By order of the Board.
JOHN G. SOUTH, M. D.,
President.
J. N. McCORMACK, M. D.,
Secretary.

SEND THE BILLS TO "BILL."

New York, Dec. 7.—Some "loyal" Americans here are wearing troubled looks these days. These are they who invested heavily in German war bonds. They are wondering from whom they are to collect.

SOLDIERS ARMED.

London, Dec. 7.—The Berlin government has revoked its decision to disarm the troops returning to Berlin, according to a Central News dispatch from Amsterdam.

Deep-seated coughs that resist ordinary remedies require both external and internal treatment. If you buy a dollar bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup you get the two remedies you need for the price of one. There is a Herick's Red Pepper Porous Plaster for the chest, free with each bottle. Sold by Ohio County Drug Co.

ALLEGED PLOTTERS SHOT.

Stockholm, Dec. 7.—On the pretext of having discovered a counter-revolutionary plot, the terrorist commission at Mohlel sentenced 14 persons to death, according to a Petrograd dispatch. Among those sentenced were Prince Eristoff, who was executed with his two sisters, and the Prince and Princess Syatopolk-Mirsky.

KAISERIN'S MIND FAILING.

Amsterdam, Dec. 14.—The Kaiser has suffered a serious mental breakdown according to a dispatch from Amerongen, where the former imperial couple are interned.

Berlin, Dec. 14.—"Dr. Karl Liebknecht," says the Socialist organ, Vorwarts, is suffering from the same moral insanity as the ex-Kaiser. Nothing he says should be taken seriously until his mental status has been medically examined."

PAGE SHOWS

WAR'S TRAGEDY

Reversed Flow Of Soldiers Now Brings Maimed To View.

New York, Dec. 14.—November's swing of the pendulum of history from war to peace, which reversed the eastward flow of America's fighting millions—the greatest trans-oceanic troops movement ever known—brought the American people face to face with the tragedy of the casualty lists.

General Pershing's announcement that more than 58,000 of the expeditionary forces had given their lives in the nation's cause and that 14,000 others, exclusive of prisoners, were missing, created a profound impression, but the human touch of almost 190,000 wounded, 16,000 of whom already have been returned in various stages of helplessness to their native shores, promises to give the country its first real appreciation of the sacrifices of its sons who followed the flag on foreign soil.

The method of their debarkation denies to the home-coming wounded the popular honors paid their comrades in full health. But the War Department, operating along lines intended to give the lie to the proverbial "ingratitude of government," has arranged for medical, recreational and educational attention, whose aim is to restore these maimed heroes, as fully as possible, to physical comfort and financial independence.

Are Tenderly Cared For.

From the day of their arrival at New York or Newport News, the ports of debarkation, to their re-entrance into civilian life, a host of Good Samaritans—army doctors, nurses and orderlies and workers of the American Red Cross—will minister to these sufferers from a ruthless enemy's engines of war. Harbor hospital boats, debarkation hospitals, hospital trains and general hospitals for reconstruction of convalescence form a chain of service linking the westward-bound fleets of transports with the homes of the wounded. And in the service the Medical Debarkation Corps, suddenly thrust into the foreground of publicity by the collapse of Central powers, plays an important and picturesque part.

The end of the war found the port medical authorities prepared to shoulder the heavy burden laid upon them. During nineteen months of American participation in the conflict they had maintained an embarkation hospital service, treating the comparatively rare cases of illness among troops ready to go overseas. When American forces entered the trenches small groups of wounded, evacuated from hospitals in France, began to filter through the service on this side of the Atlantic. With this experience accentuated by the lessons of the allied governments in repatriating their wounded, the debarkation system was put in readiness for the reception of injured men at the rate of 10,000 to 15,000 a month.

Prepare To Handle Cases.

During the war and a five weeks' period following the signing of the armistice, approximately 11,500 wounded had been received at New York and 4,500 at Newport News. And the authorities were prepared, on official advice from Washington, to handle 5,000 cases in the next four months.

The army embarkation service at New York, which sent three-fourths of the nation's 2,000,000 men overseas, is expected to debark a majority of the returning forces, and the westward flow of wounded also will be directed here, with some diversion to Newport News and possibly, later on, to Boston. To carry on the work at this port the medical department has a personnel of 7,306—greater than the entire Medical Corps when the United States entered the war. On this staff, headed by Col. J. M. Kennedy, veteran of twenty-five years of service as an army surgeon, 950 are medical officers, 983 nurses, men and women, 5,184 enlisted men and 189 civilian employees.

The operating facilities include aggregate capacity of 10,900 beds, two base hospitals with 250 beds, a reconstruction hospital at Columbia University for cases too serious to be moved to interior institutions, five harbor hospital boats with 300 beds each, seventy-five ambulances with fifty additional held in reserve by the Red Cross, and four hospital trains, each accommodating upward of 200 patients.

McHENRY.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Myers have taken possession of the Hotel, which was formerly managed by Mrs. Goodall.

Mr. Chester Faught has moved into the property occupied by Mr. J. P. McKinney. Mr. and Mrs. McKinney have taken rooms at the Hotel.

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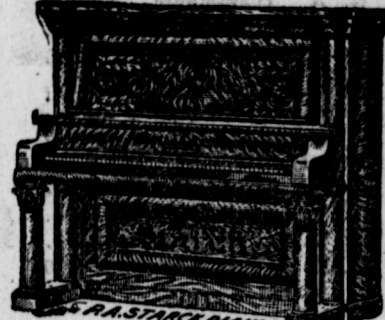
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The High School here will open the first of the year.

Profs. Vass and Robinson, teachers of the school here, have returned to school at Bowling Green.

Quite a good deal of moving is going on here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hibbs spent Sunday at Adair Hill.

Mr. Ernest Pine has returned home from Uncle Sam's service.

Mr. Spiegel is here wiring the new turbine for Williams Mines.

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No. 1—East Hartford.
A. V. Austin, 50 a. \$ 8.08
W. R. Cooper, 25 a. 6.86
Mont Gaddis, 50 a. 6.46
A. L. Gaddis, 25 a. 4.62
Mrs. Della Moseley, 126 a. 12.75
N. A. Schroeder, 30 a. 13.53
E. G. Shroeder, town lot 2.92
J. D. Wilson, 25 a. 5.34

No. 2—West Hartford.
Daniel King, town lot 6.77
Mrs. Jennie Mosely, town lot 4.82
J. W. Wilson 40 a., balance .. 7.62

No. 3—Beda.
J. Y. Hoover, 123 a. 35.31
C. W. Hoover, 90 a. 11.42
G. E. Smith, 75 a. 21.08
A. S. Smith, 45 a. 10.01
M. F. Tichenor, 56 a. 31.34

No. 4—Sulphur Springs.
Henry Ashby, 60 a. \$ 8.64
Mary B. Bratcher, 61 a. 4.35
John F. Doffron, 24 a. 18.50
James Fitzhugh, 130 a. 25.10
A. J. Harris, 52 a. 6.80
Jesse King, 50 a. 9.25
W. R. Maiden, 60 a. 7.52
Mary K. Nix, 40 a. 4.64
Harret D. Peach, 5 a. 1.41
E. L. Toms, 41 a. 7.01
Jas. H. Wright, 124 a. 13.56
Wm. L. Wright, 50 a. 8.13

No. 5—Magan.
C. B. Baughn, 75 a. 7.01
Kate Midkiff, town lot 1.77
Oliver Midkiff, 3 a. 5.86

No. 6—Cromwell.
Lizzie C. Austin, 35 a. \$ 2.41
G. A. Clemments, 60 a. (cred.) \$3.12
W. H. Johnson, 1 a. 7.75
Edna Maples, 50 a. 5.46
S. W. Pool, 10 1/2 a. 7.62
J. W. Phelps, town lot 5.38
Miss Mary Ranney, 100 a. 8.94

No. 7—Cool Springs.
G. H. Raymer, 90 a. 12.84
R. W. Taylor, 119 a. 21.50
R. H. Taylor, agt. S. I. 100 a. 8.83
R. T. Taylor, 100 a. 14.50
H. W. Taylor, 26 a. 5.89

No. 8—North Rockport.
Floyd Baker, 36 a. \$ 9.75
Gerry Barnes, town lot 8.07
C. V. Crabtree, two town lots 12.73
Andy Devine, town lot 3.55
Mrs. Bell Hugh, by Agnes Sneddon 3.88
Mrs. Nannie Heck, 2.44
J. R. Hines, town lot 4.79
S. I. Landrun, 74 a. 18.15
W. H. Nembo, 3 a. 6.84
F. M. Whalen, town lot 6.22
Margaret Williams town lot 4.84
Bessie Williams, town lot 3.82
J. T. Wilson, 130 a. 28.26

No. 9—South Rockport.
W. V. Graves, 100 a. 7.86
Mabel Herald, 7 a. 2.68
Mrs. R. P. Her, town lot 5.79
Mrs. Sallie Jackson, 165 a. 30.63
Reuben Scott, 33 a. 4.78
S. H. Smith, 80 a. 7.81
L. L. Yonts, 1/2 a. 7.09

No. 10—Select.
J. B. Albin 90 a. \$ 12.07
Thomas A. Albin, 8 a. 5.29
W. D. Baize, 5 a. 4.78
A. F. Butler, 80 a. 8.65
M. J. Embry, 93 a. 10.09
Willie Kiper, 40 a. 5.89
V. L. Kiper, 26 a. 7.48
Estil Keown, 13 a. 6.12
Estil L. Morris, 24 a. 5.56
N. B. Wilson, 23 a. 5.34

No. 11—Horse Branch.
Maggie Baize, 40 a. \$ 3.23
W. H. Duval, 43 a. 6.41
Maggie Ferguson, town lot 1.41
Asa Haycraft, 15 a. 2.79
Alice Wilkerson, 55 a. 2.68
Della Worley, 11 a. 2.96

No. 12—Rosine.
M. G. Awtry, 50 a. \$ 7.52
Agnes A. Brown, 65 a. 4.35
L. C. Craig, 20 a. 3.90
J. A. Collard, 1 1/2 a. 5.34
J. A. Campbell, 6 a. 5.89
Collard and Mathews, town lot 5.97
Jas. H. Goodman, 35 a. 5.61
Jon Hatter, 86 a. 19.58
Hurt heirs by J. G. Gray, 70 acres 3.52
Melvin Kessinger, 12 a. 9.29
T. L. Lunsford, 25 a. 4.78
Lewis heirs, town lot 4.35
Harney Moore, 40 a. 5.12
Mrs. M. A. Otto, 8 a. 5.30
Agnes Reddish, 50 a. 3.52
Robert Robinson, 42 a. 10.29
W. H. Stewart heirs, 125 a. 7.44
Isaac Schroeder, 8 a. 4.67
A. F. Stewart, 13 a. 5.96
Mrs. Rosa Schroeder, 60 a. 7.99
Truman Taylor, 40 a. 8.69
Albert Wright, 25 a. 5.17
Justice Wilson, 66 a. 9.49
G. T. Wright, 50 a. 12.36
L. T. Wright, 200 a. 33.24
Thos. J. Watson, 8 a. 4.62

No. 13—East Beaver Dam.

W. H. Marriatt et al 50 a. 6.59
Mrs. Annie Arbuckle, town lot 3.87
Cassander Allen, 21 a. 17.08
J. P. McCoy, 112 a. 25.74
I. K. Miller, 40 a. 7.01
Anna Robinson, 1 a. 5.91

No. 14—West Beaver Dam.
Henry Balden, town lot, ... \$ 5.06
Newton Embry, 30 a. 5.34
Mrs. Mary Hunley, town lot 4.83
Ed F. Kelley, town lot 7.01
Mallon McDowell, 1 a. 7.57

No. 15—McHenry.
Frank Crane, town lot \$ 5.10
J. W. Geary, 81 a. 11.50
George Growbarger, adms. town lot 5.46
J. C. Hocker, town lot 5.89
J. R. Likens, town lot 5.34
Mrs. Mary Likens, 18 a. 2.12
J. R. Likens, 1 a. 5.12

No. 16—Centertown.
M. L. Ashby, 47 a. \$ 5.94
W. B. Chapman, 3 a. 5.71
Office Everly, town lot 5.09
Herman Hoskins, 1 a. 5.06
L. M. Hatcher, 109 a. 22.54
J. M. Iglehart, town lot 4.99
B. W. Oglesby, 24 a. 7.01
E. M. Rowe, 155 a. 19.72

No. 17—Small House.
A. J. Addington, 70 a. \$ 14.06
H. P. Addington, 90 a. 29.91
W. G. Ellison, 25 a. 5.11
E. C. Jackson, 85 a. 11.14
Mrs. M. E. Jackson, 32 a. 6.44
Vig Morton, 75 a. 28.74
C. E. Wolcott, 150 a. 27.47
Viola Whittaker, town lot 1.35
N. L. Withrow, 30 a. 4.33

No. 18—Fordsville.
Payton Basham, 80 a. \$ 8.69
Ernest Bogard, 40 a. 5.71
Mrs. Pearl Huff, town lot 3.85
D. M. Matthews, town lot 9.30
Estil Marlow, 75 a. 15.28
Walter Marlow, 75 a. 6.96
Grant Rusher, 36 a. 8.29
Mrs. N. B. Smith, 85 a. 5.79

No. 19—East Fordsville.
Mary L. Newton, 50 a. \$ 3.07
J. F. Overton, 35 a. 6.80
S. W. Overton, 35 a. 5.95
A. M. Peckenpaugh, 95 a. 27.02

No. 20—Actonville.
N. W. Baize, 57 and 45 a. 15.80
Mrs. M. A. Kirk, 68 a. 5.47
Ira Norris, 84 a. 12.87
W. A. Probus, 37 a. 9.80
Saltsman Billy, town lot 5.49
Mrs. Celia Thornton, town lot 2.96

No. 21—Shreve.
B. F. Huff, 100 a. 9.20
Mrs. Eliza Obenchain, 2 a. 2.12
Ohio Co. Telephone Co. Pat D. 2 a. 2.40
C. W. Sharp, 46 a. 13.65
Mrs. J. N. Sapp, 3 a. 3.21

No. 22—Oluton.
C. E. Daniel, 200 a. 18.88
James Hoover, 165 a. 19.46
L. J. Wilson, town lot 6.25
E. E. Wilson, 45 a. 8.64

No. 23—Ruford.
Dollie Bell, 130 a. \$ 4.91
Vasco C. Baird, 22 a. 4.64
Warden heirs, 125 a. 7.71
Rhoda Jackson, 50 a. 9.39
Isabell Morgan, 130 a. 24.48
Clarence Riddle, 92 a. 29.32

No. 24—Bartlett.
Mrs. Ida Boles, 60 a. 3.55
H. H. Chapman, 90 and 53 a. 10.31
M. G. Funk, 50 a. 11.46
R. E. Fuqua, 185 a. 17.70
Mrs. T. A. Gray, 100 a. 3.96
Zack King, 64 a. 8.70
Mrs. Clara A. Wade, 75 a. 3.79
D. W. Westerfield, 92 1/2 a. 8.41
C. D. Westerfield, 40 and 150 a. 34.05

No. 25—Heflin.
Ollie Atherton, 60 a. 6.75
A. H. Easten, 50 a. 9.14
J. M. Hoover, 120 and 120 a. 33.22
C. M. Hoover, 45 a. 7.30
James Roy Hatfield, 70 a. 15.53
J. C. Kirk, 66 a. 8.82
H. C. Simmons, 100 a. 9.25
T. S. Sumner, 40 a. 7.01
Zella Westerfield, 50 a. 4.36
Richard Watson, 76 a. 7.71

No. 26—Ceralvo.
Bert R. Barnard, 24 a. \$ 8.13
Marvin Durham, 36 a. 5.39
Jno. Durham, 24 a. 5.84
Mrs. H. B. Williams, 102 a. 7.71

No. 27—Pt. Pleasant.
Ernest Kirtley, 10 a. 7.31
W. M. Kirtley, 165 a. 34.35

No. 28—Narrows.
Charley Confor, 8 a. 7.57
C. F. Pullian, 4 a. 10.76
C. W. Sharp, 2 a. and town lot 3.23
Estil Willis, town lot 8.83

No. 29—Ralph.
Mrs. Ida Kelly, 64 a. 13.30
Rachel Midkiff, 16 a. 1.44
Mrs. Nancy Russell 80 a. 7.10
R. A. Wedding, 57 a. 11.16

No. 30—Prentiss.
Ella Stevens, 65 a. 6.69
O. E. Scott, 230 a. 27.42

No. 31—Herbert.
J. H. Bicket, 83 a. 7.47
Henry Hoskins, 46 a. 6.94
Mrs. Louisa Payne, 75 a. 2.12
Jas. H. Worth, 75 a. 10.41

No. 32—Arnold.
Vitula Arnold, 4 a. 3.88
L. W. Allen, 50 a. 9.54
W. H. Byers, 30 a. 6.00
P. C. Beasley, 65 a. 7.52
Ellis Coy, 20 a. 7.01
Lawrence Coy, 80 a. 9.50
L. B. Carter, 60 a. 7.97
N. L. Embry, 80 a. 11.87

No. 33—Render.
J. C. Carpenter, 18 a. 9.67
J. R. Carman, 25 a. 9.25
Arthur Faught, 30 a. 10.36
Mrs. Jno. Schneawdwe, town lot 7.01

No. 34—Simmons.
Ed Kirtly 75 a. \$ 18.19
Mrs. Alice Smith, 2 a. 3.23
W. H. Stewart, 35 a. 6.12

Additional.
Mrs. Lizzie Amos, 40 a. No. 6 Precinct \$ 5.46
L. E. Arbuckle, 50 a. 17.08
W. C. Ashby, 81 1/2 a. 19.14
A. F. Bellamy, 53 a. 34.88
J. H. Babbitt, 80 a. 7.71
C. G. Baxter, 51 a. No. 13 Precinct 18.19
J. A. Clark, 15 a. No. 23 Precinct 5.89
Harry Depp, town lot 1.26
Mrs. Emma Evans, 40 a. No. 20 Precinct 2.23
Elton Evans, 50 a. 7.91
J. W. Holder, town lot 9.35
W. D. Hardin, 118 a. 24.43
Claud Kitchens, 40 a. No. 7 Precinct 4.81
Irvin Morris, town lot 4.55
Bedy Mitchell, 40 a. 6.74
Cal Murphy, 100 a. 13.76
Mary E. Mize, 64 a. 7.71
Ross Martin, 62 1/2 a. 20.38
W. M. Phipps, 46 a. 6.46
F. L. Royal, 94 a. 6.46
L. W. Reynolds, 51 a. 6.92
Lon T. Smith, town lot 2.12
John Short, (col) 4 a. 8.13
O. L. Turner, 40 a. No. 23 Precinct 8.27
J. C. Westerfield, 120 a. No. 23 Precinct 18.76
Mrs. Martha Westerfield, 270 a. 28.95
Cicero Wade, 100 a. 8.97
F. M. Wedding, 12 a. 2.12
Clayton Wallace, 68 a. No. 30 Precinct 5.34
Dennis Walker, town lot 2.84
Elmer Wilson, 8.81

No. 36—Non Resident.
Mrs. Sallie Ambrose, 60 a. 2.68
23 Precinct \$ 21.13
Marvin Black, 100 a. No. 1 Precinct 7.82
J. W. Farmer, 51 a. 3.82
E. S. Foreman, 51 a. 12.18
Mrs. S. F. Goodman, 68 a. 19.97
R. F. Gray, 43 a. 5.47
Jno. Hudson heirs, 55 a. No. 25 Precinct 3.79
John Owen Hocker, town lot 15.00
R. Karnes, 69 a. 4.35
J. L. Lashbrooks, town lot 3.28
J. P. Miller, 5 a. 3.79
Finis Moore, 52 a. No. 23 Precinct 7.94
Mrs. Eliza Mosely, 50 a. No. 29 Precinct 5.47
C. W. Newton, 62 a. 6.59
A. Powell, 18 a. 2.68
J. E. Rickett, 53 a. 7.71
Verna Sharp, town lot 13.30
M. F. Sharp, 100 a. 2.38
Mrs. Cynthia Shull, town lot 4.36
Andrew Thorp, town lot 12.50
Aren Wells, 103 a. No. 25 Precinct 6.60
Steve Woodward, 69 a. No. 25 Precinct 3.23
Dolley Wedding, 20 a. 2.12
Mrs. Effie Wilson, 25 a. 19.08
E. F. Smith, 157 a. No. 29 Precinct 11.91
Steve and Jay Westerfield, 65 a. No. 6 Precinct 10.36
H. M. Acton, 1 a. 5.29
Lonnie Barrett, town lot 2.12
Mrs. Bethel Chinn, 1/2 a. 2.63
Eugene Chinn, 1/2 a. 3.94
Paul Carter, town lot 7.85
Lula Drane, 1 a. 3.23
Gus Ford, 37 a. 5.58
E. S. Foreman, 50 a. 2.68
C. W. Gibson, town lot 4.09
Effie Hizer, 1 a. 6.36
da Hawkins, town lot 1.85
Vig Hocker, 1 1/2 a. 5.32
Jennie Nall, town lot 12.89
William Parks, 4 a. 3.23
Frank Render, 80 a. 1.86
Mrs. J. A. Shultz, 9 a. 7.56
Lizzie Tunell, town lot 12.30
Calvin Taylor, 4 a. 3.23
Anderson Thomas, town lot 12.30
Gaylon Taylor, town lot 3.23
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ROSINE.
Mr. Alonzo James, of Butler County, has bought Mr. J. R. Albin's property, and will move here the first of the year.
Mrs. Ernest Basham, who has been ill for some time, is seriously worse.
Miss Irene Taylor, of Central City, and Miss Martha Taylor, of Cromwell, were guests of Miss Loretta Crowder Sunday.
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By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Ohio Circuit Court rendered at its Sept. term, 1918, in the above styled action, for the purpose of a sale and distribution of the proceeds among the joint owners of the land herein described, I will offer for sale at public outcry to the highest and best bidder at the Court House door in Hartford, Ky., on Monday, January 6